

Radiance + OpenDX

Radiance

Radiance + Unity3D

OpenDX + Octave + Radiance

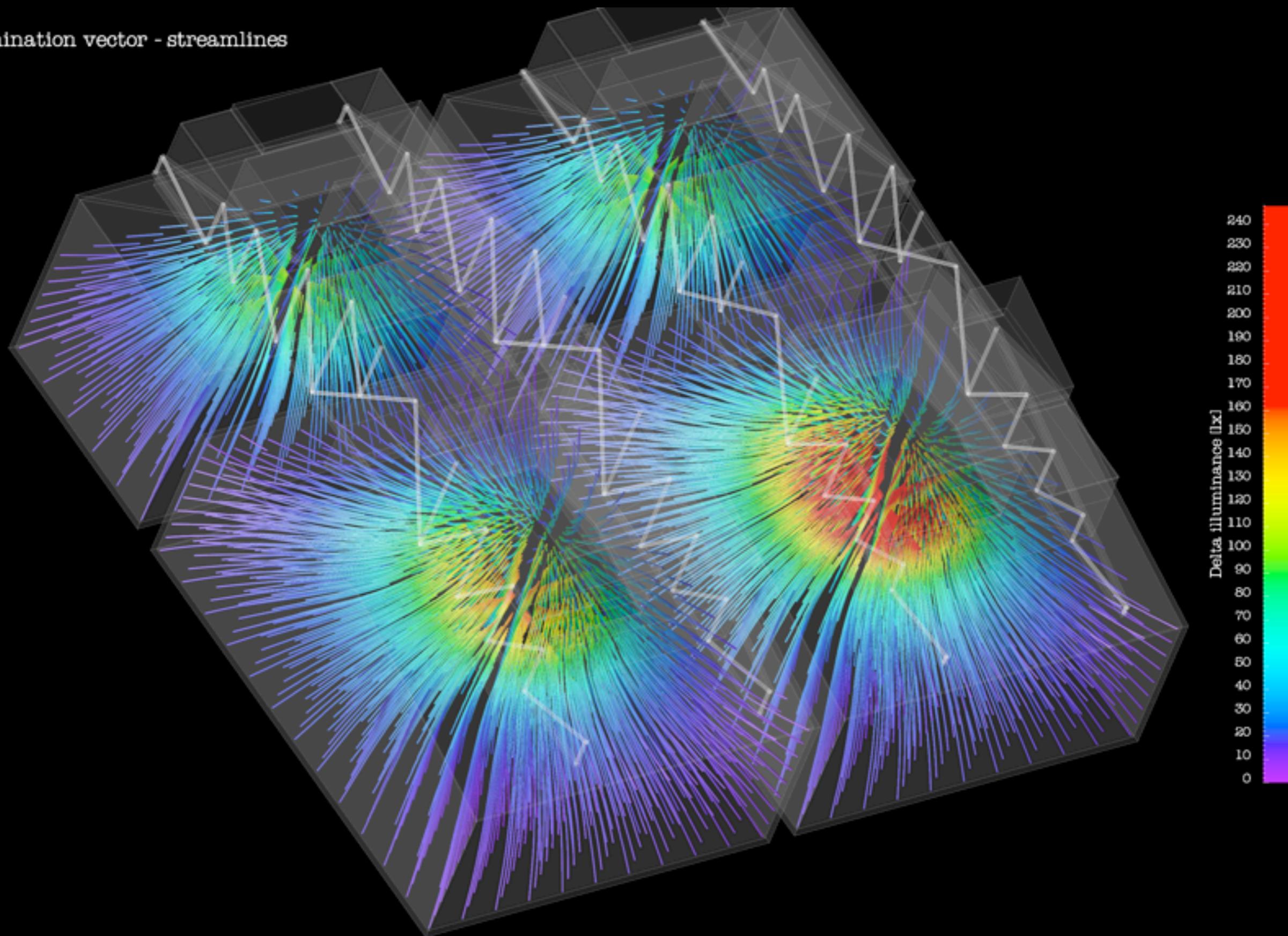
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OpenDX

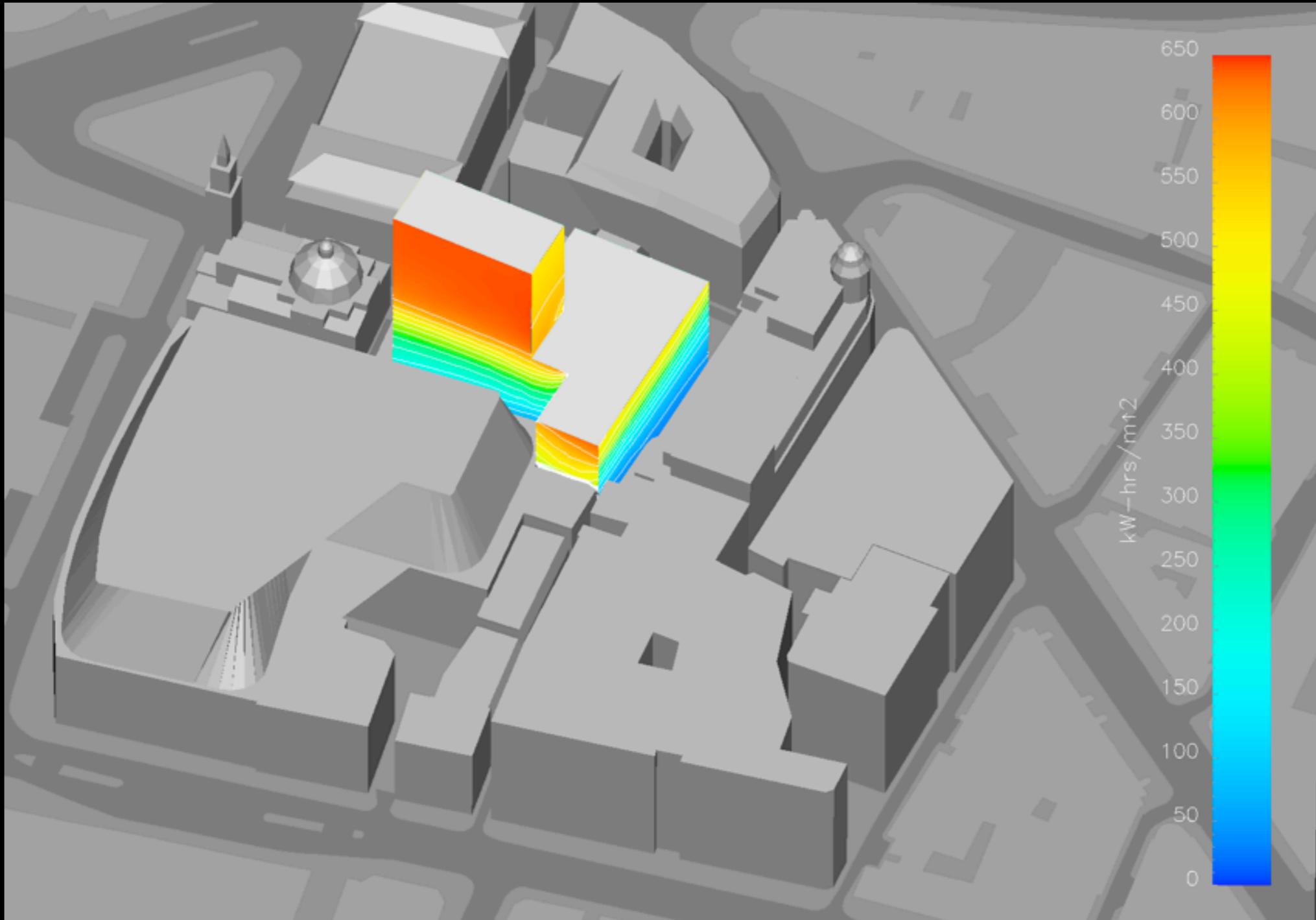
Visualisation with Open DX

Experiences on the use of OpenDX in the Radiance workflow

Illumination vector - streamlines

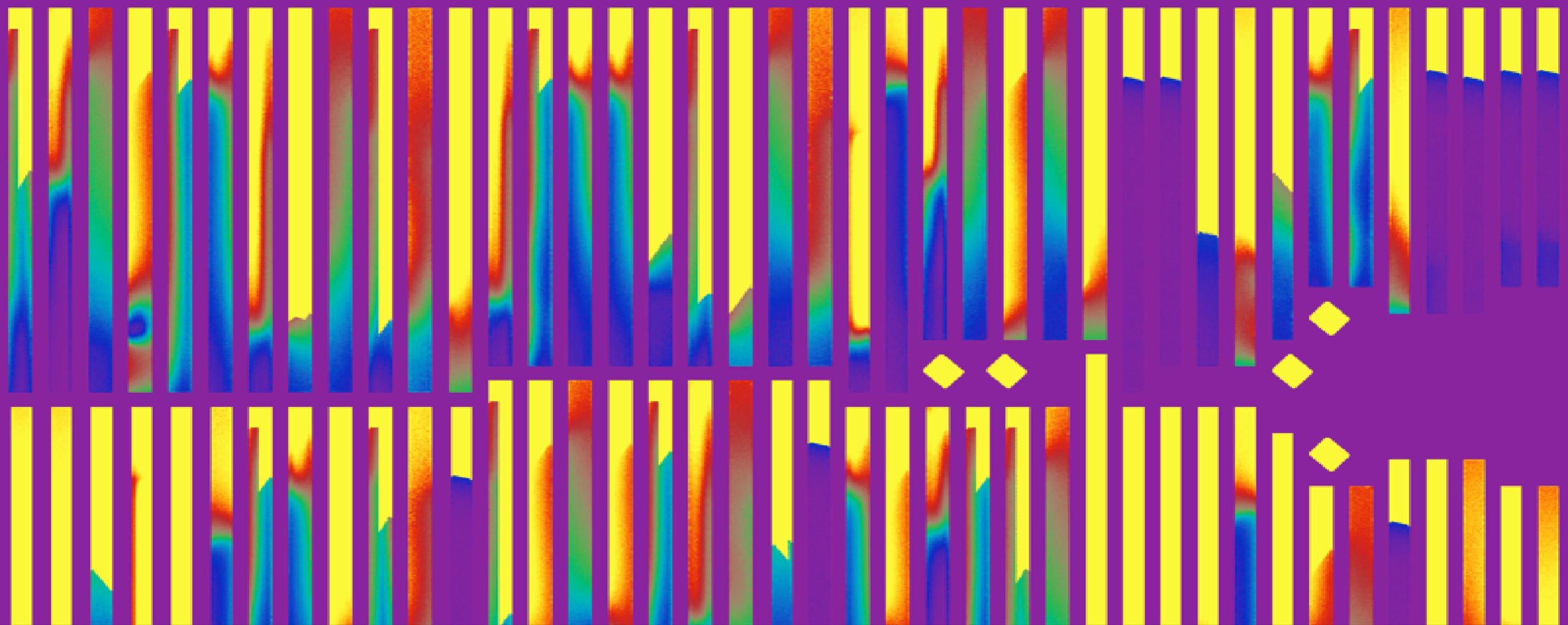


Bank Facade Irradiance



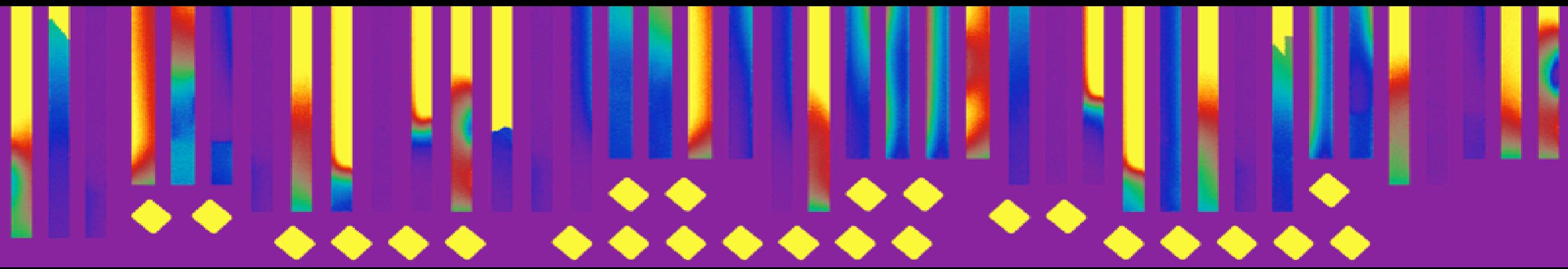
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UV Mapping / Unity3D

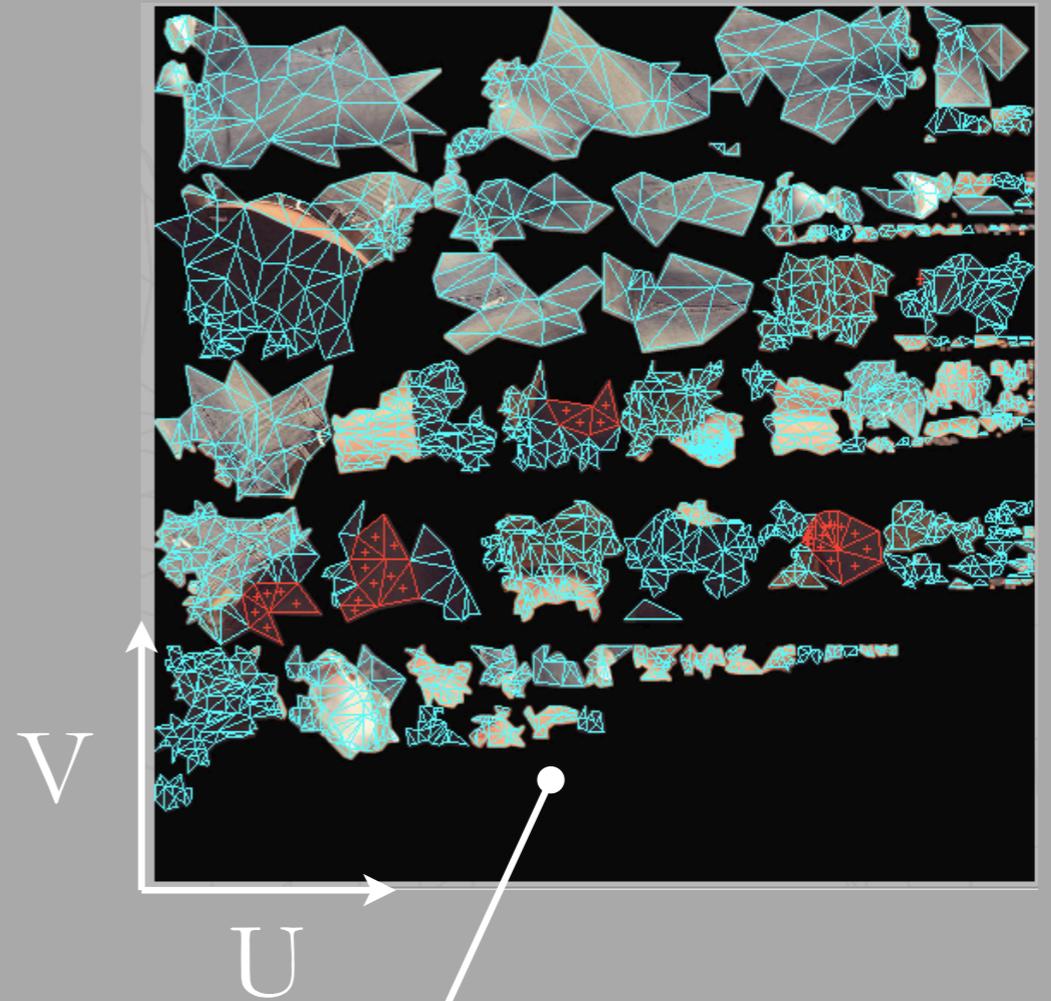
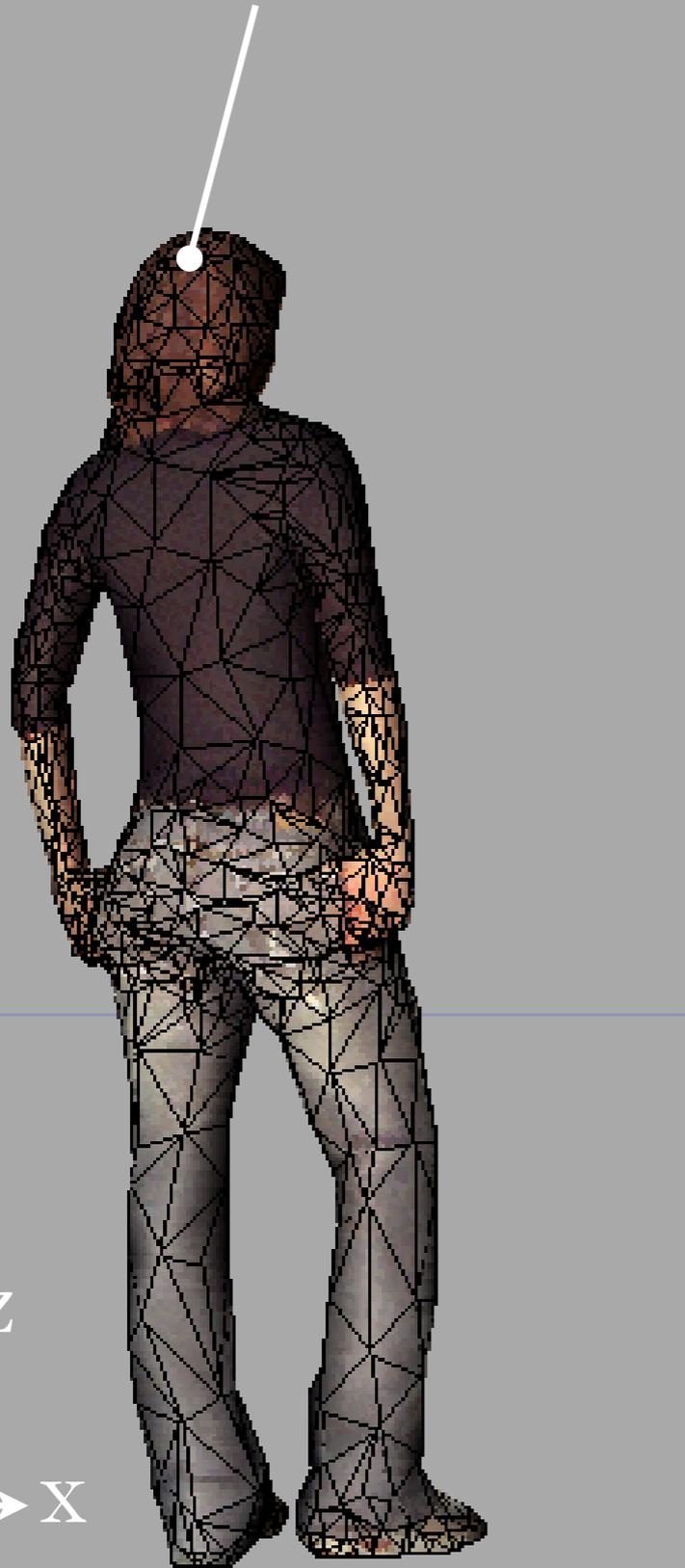


Light maps with Radiance

Giulio Antonutto / Arup**Lighting** / 2008

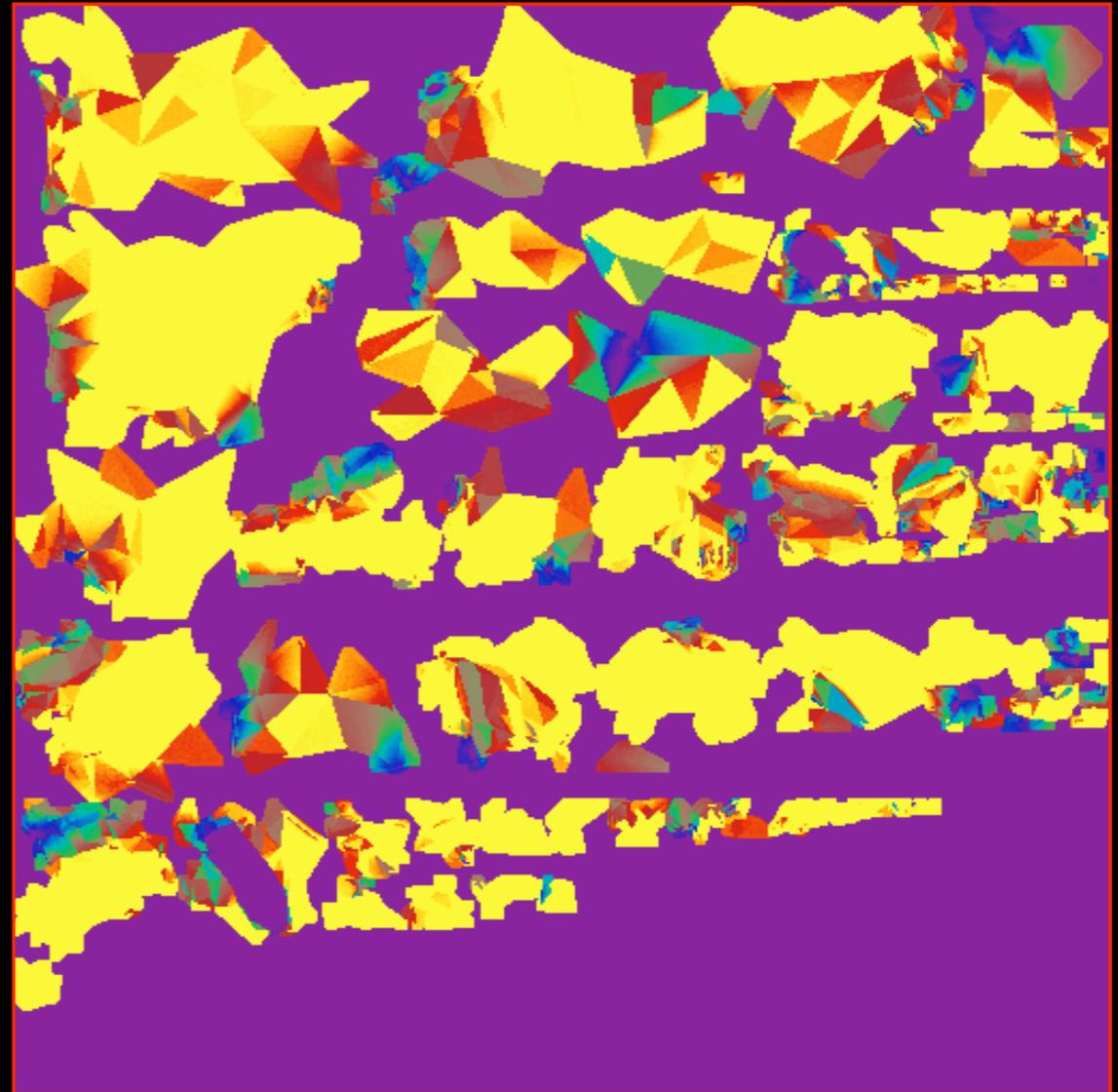


This is a 3D model with textures



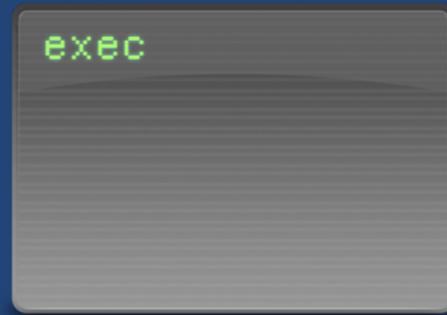
This is a UV map

Complicate geometry...



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Ambient files in OpenDX



model.amb

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lookamb -d model.amb > model.data
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model.amb

for each point:

Position, vector

Direction, vector

Lvl, scalar

Wt, scalar

Rad, scalar

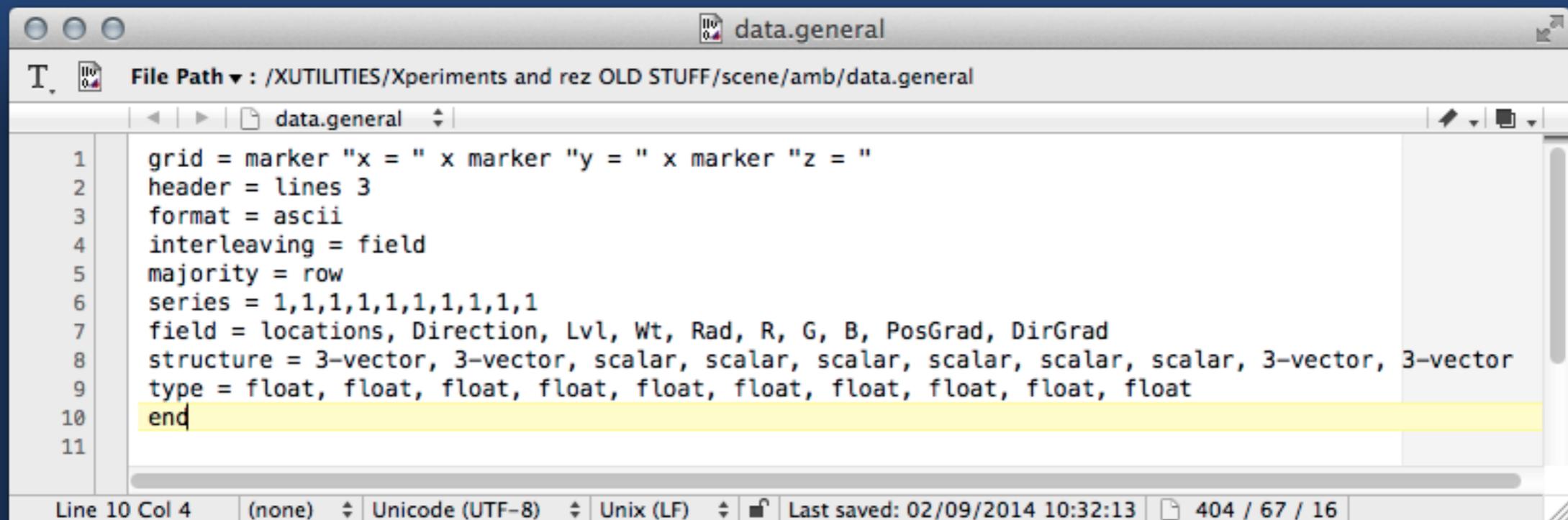
Value, vector

Pos.Grad: vector

Dir.Grad: vector

```
model.data
File Path : /XUTILITIES/Xperiments and rez OLD STUFF/scene/amb/model.data
model.data
1 #?RADIANCE
2 rpict -av 0 0 0 -aw 0 -ab 5 -aa 0.2 -ad 512 -as 128 -ar 64 model.oct
3 SOFTWARE= RADIANCE 3.7.2b patch release 22 Aug 2005 by G. Ward
4 CAPDATE= 2006:10:21 16:55:09
5 FORMAT=ascii
6
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bringing all in OpenDX

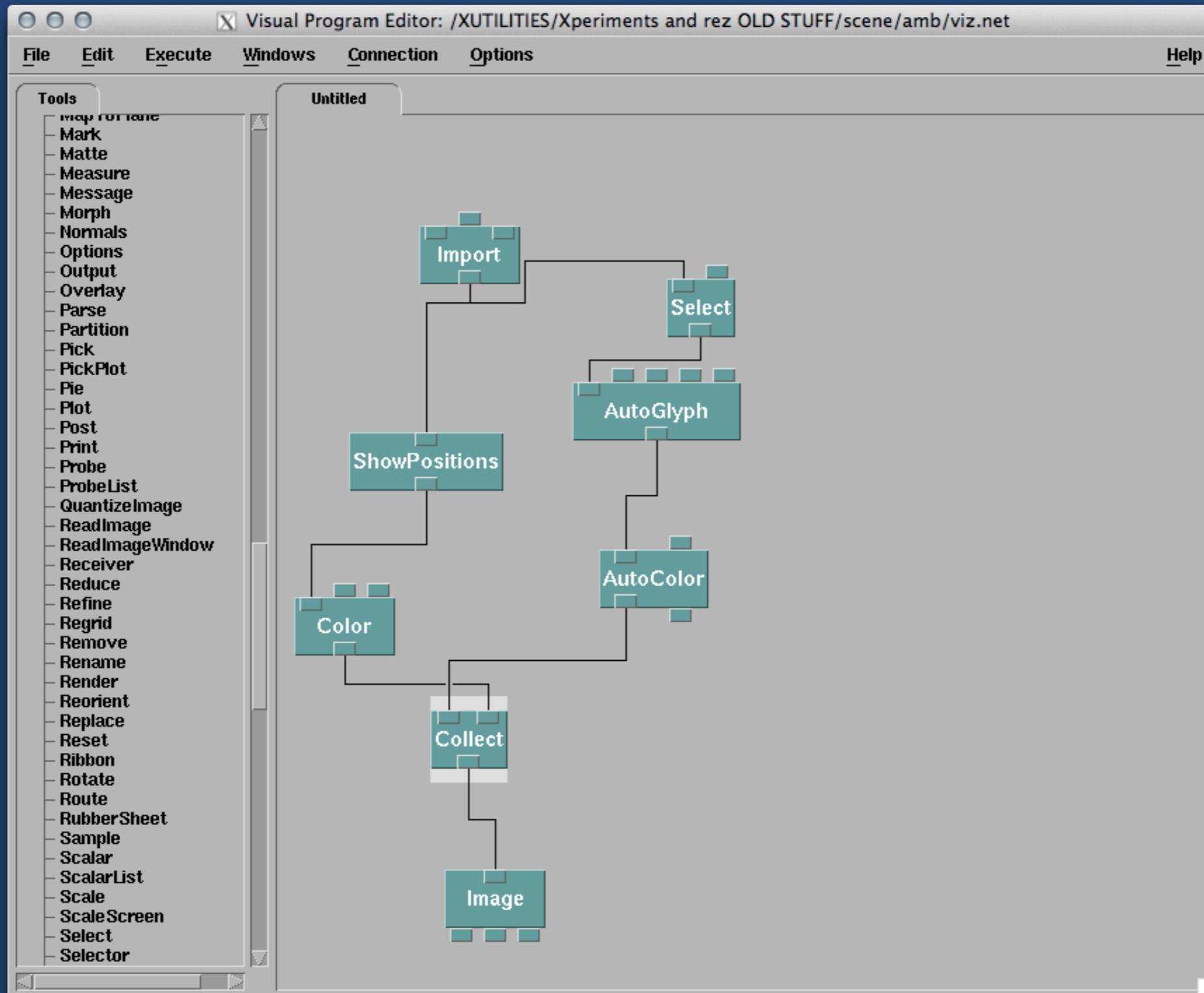


The image shows a screenshot of a text editor window titled "data.general". The window displays the following OpenDX file content:

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1 grid = marker "x = " x marker "y = " x marker "z = "  
2 header = lines 3  
3 format = ascii  
4 interleaving = field  
5 majority = row  
6 series = 1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1,1  
7 field = locations, Direction, Lvl, Wt, Rad, R, G, B, PosGrad, DirGrad  
8 structure = 3-vector, 3-vector, scalar, scalar, scalar, scalar, scalar, scalar, 3-vector, 3-vector  
9 type = float, float, float, float, float, float, float, float, float, float  
10 end  
11
```

The status bar at the bottom of the window indicates: Line 10 Col 4, (none), Unicode (UTF-8), Unix (LF), Last saved: 02/09/2014 10:32:13, 404 / 67 / 16.

bringing all in OpenDX



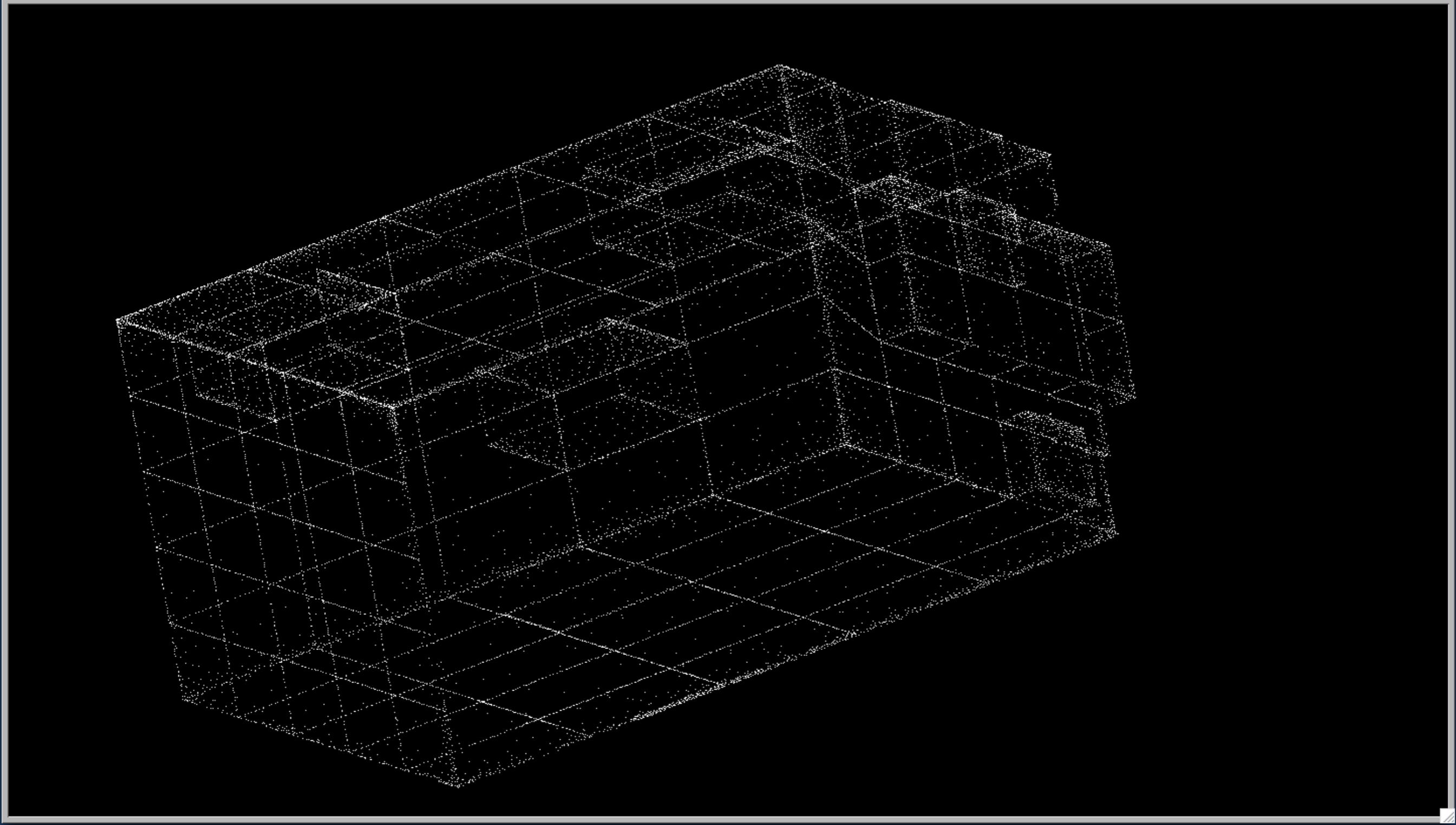
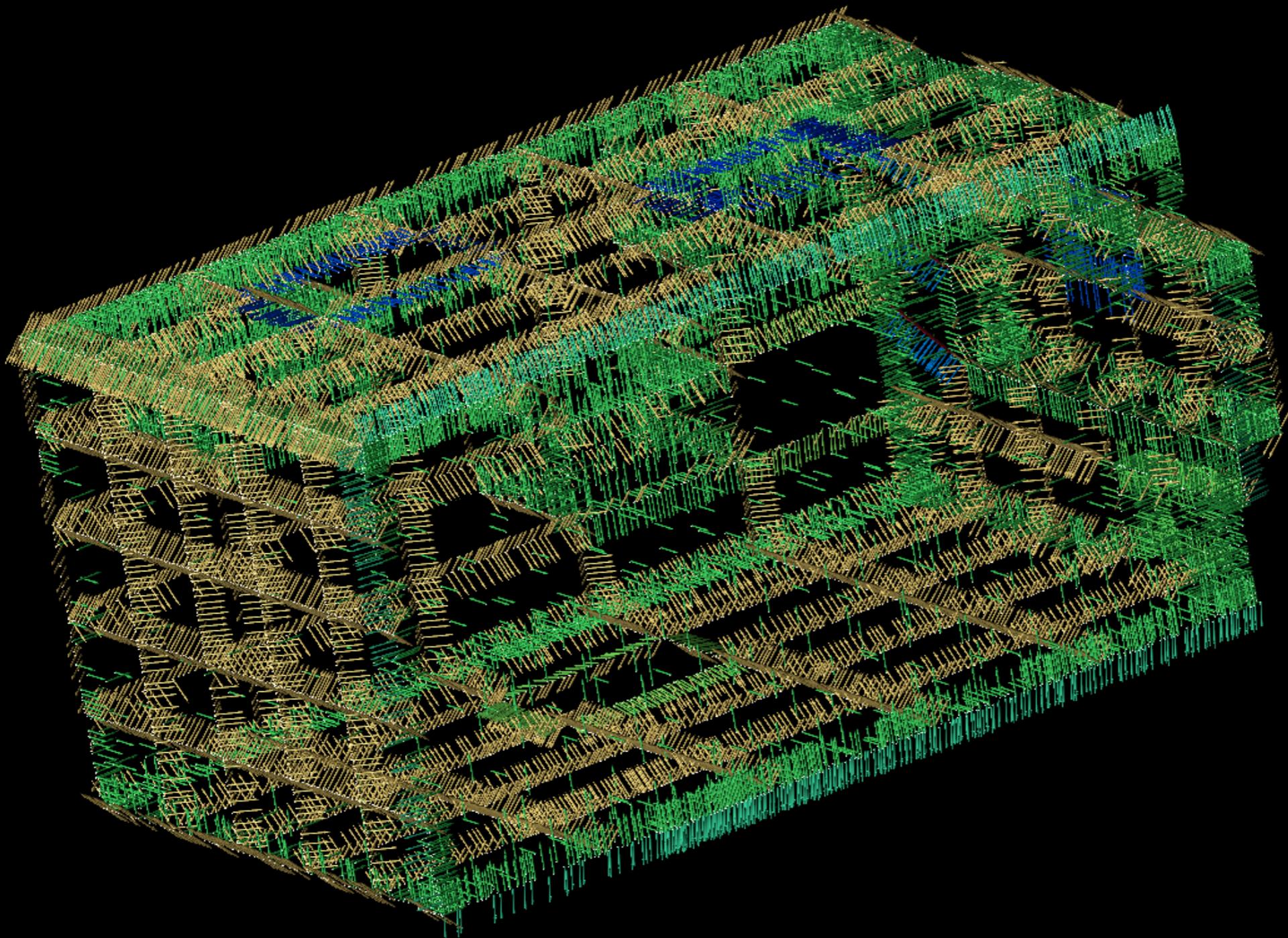


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File Execute Windows Connection Options

Help



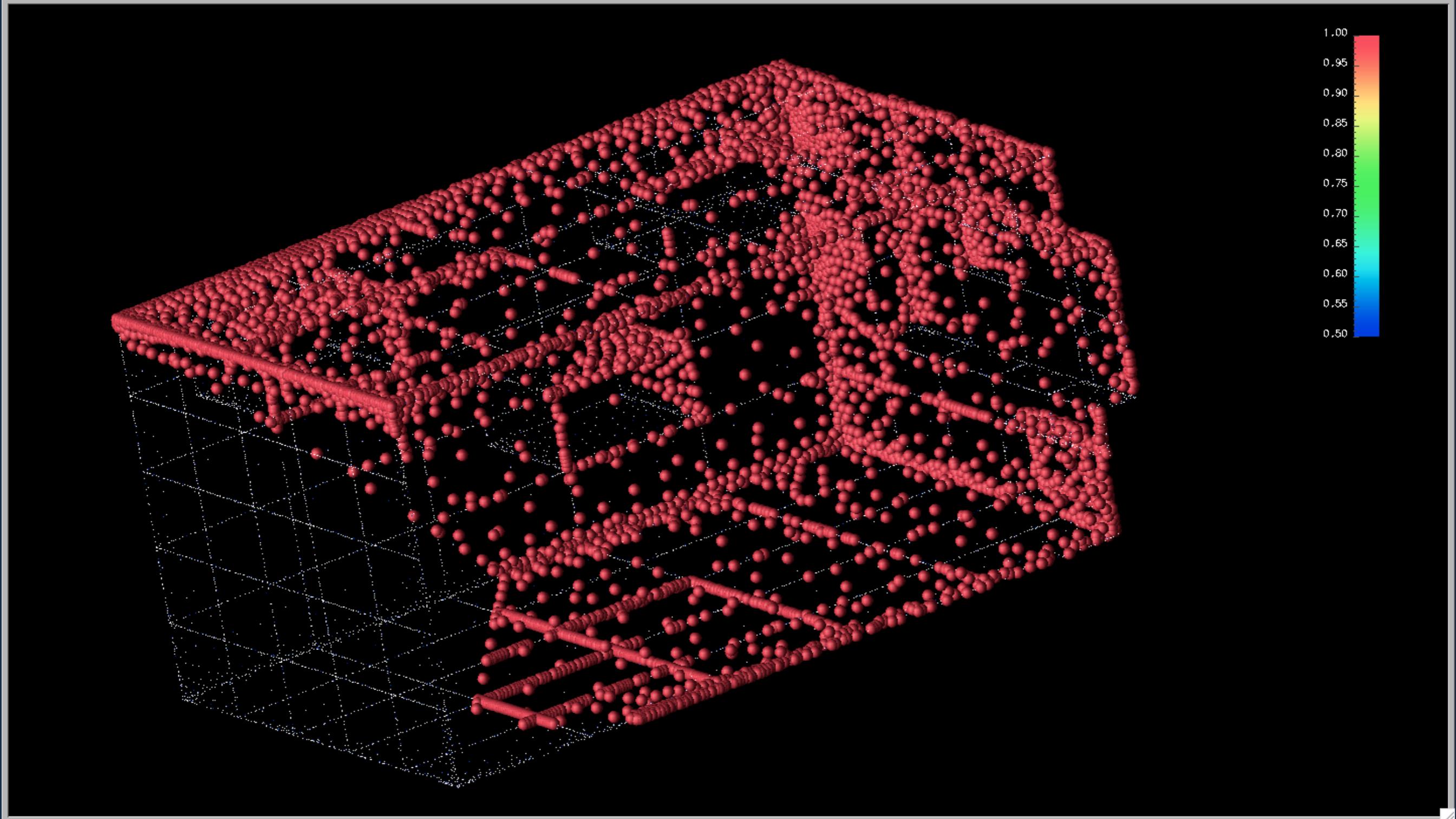
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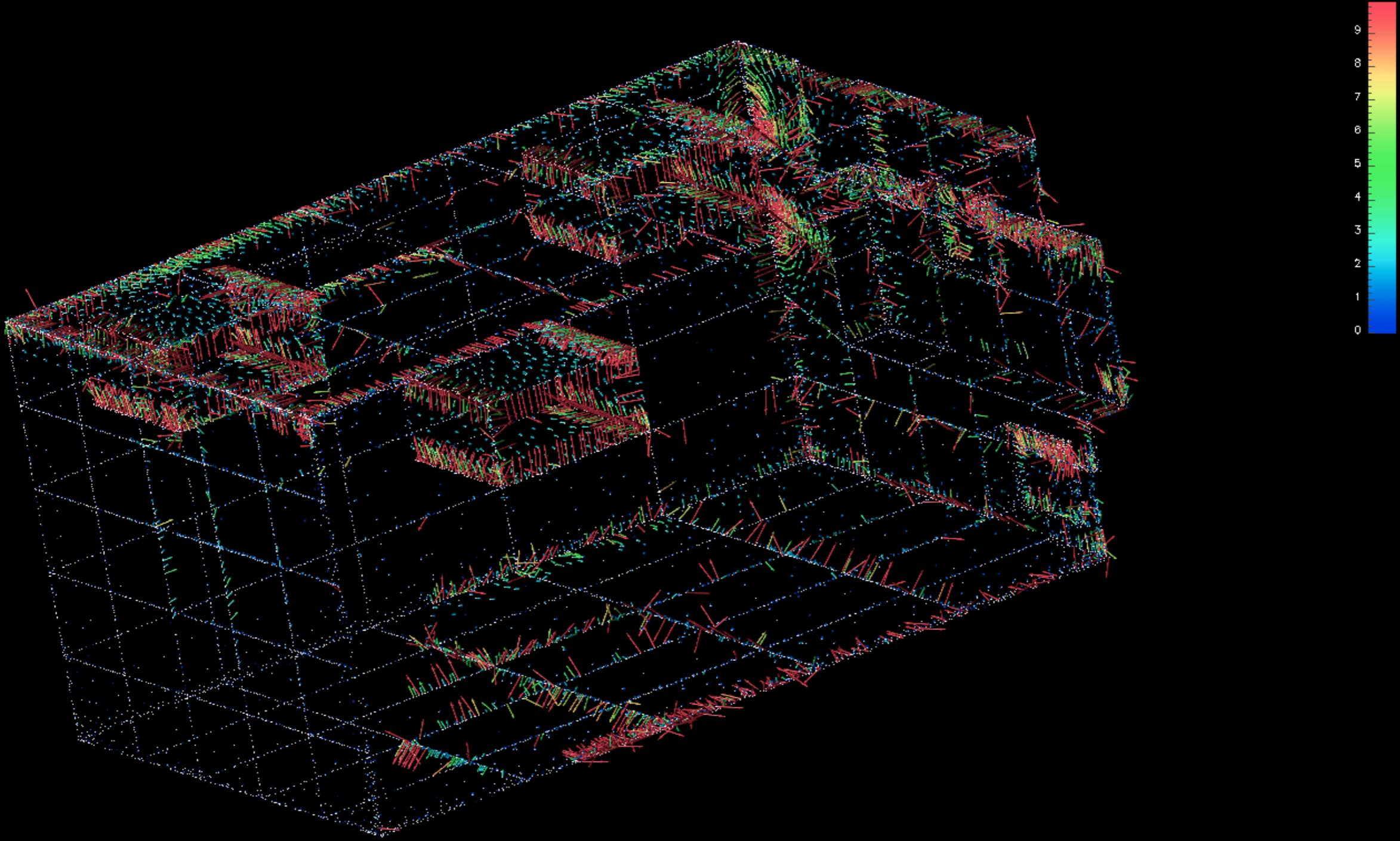


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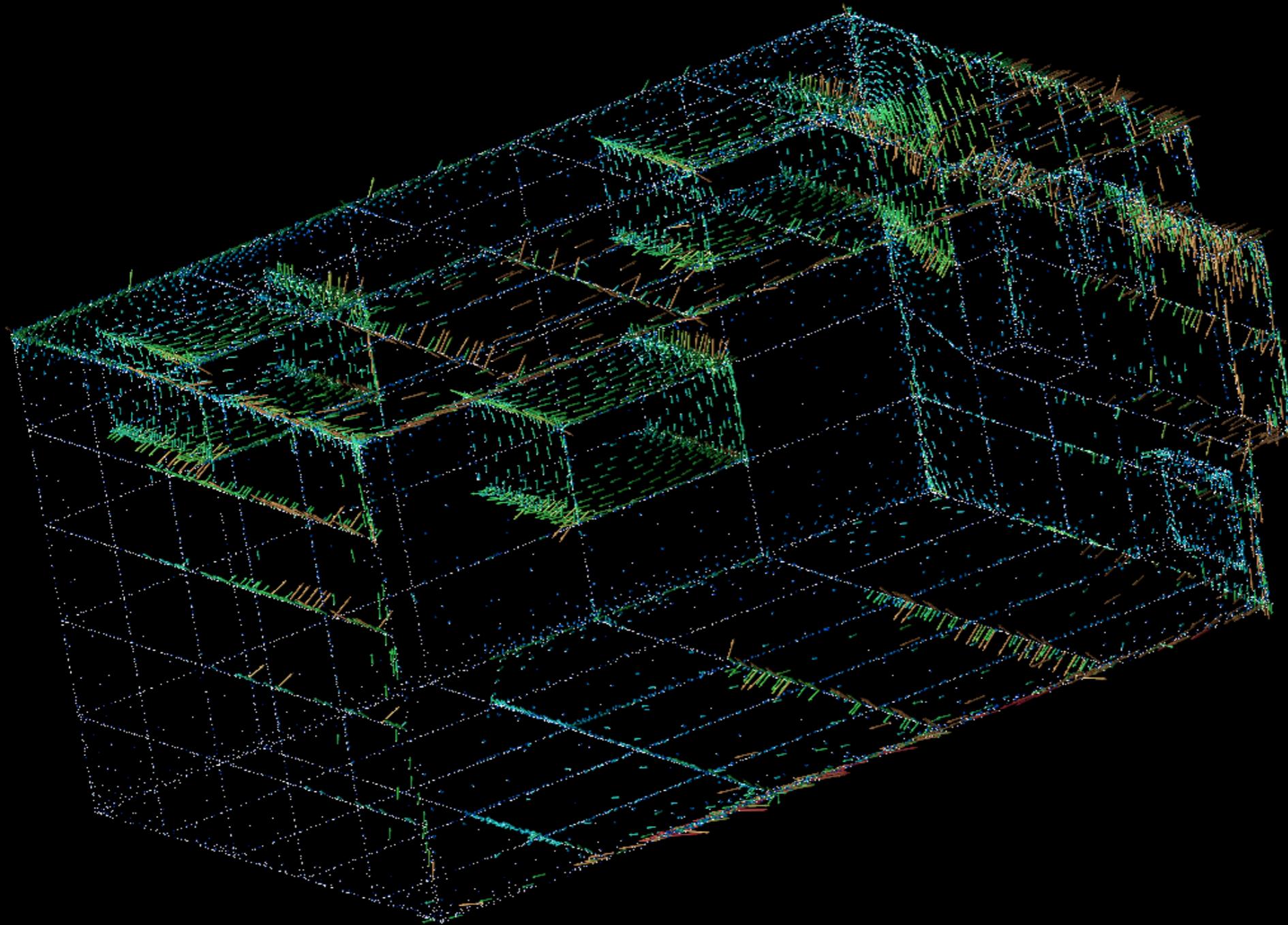
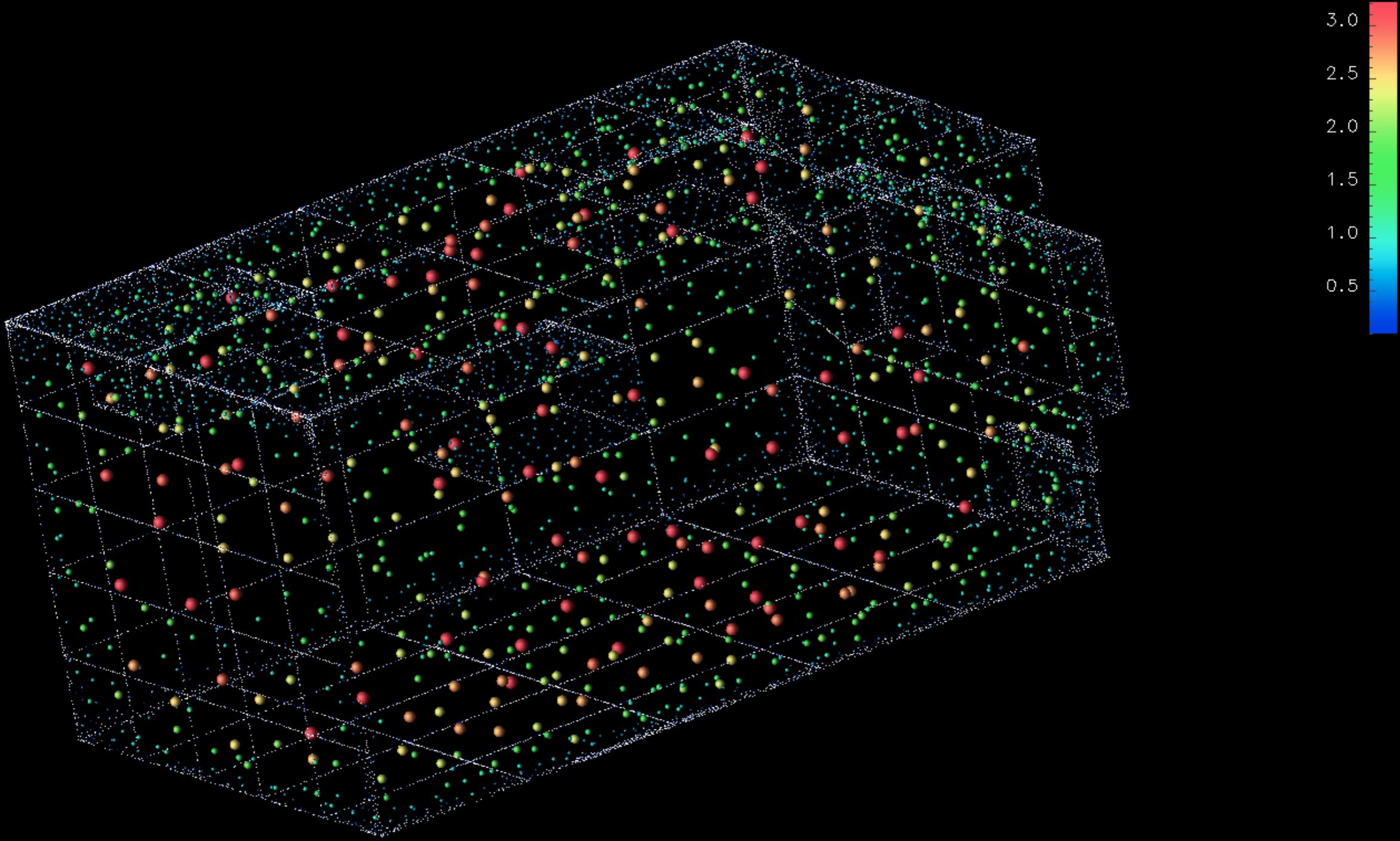


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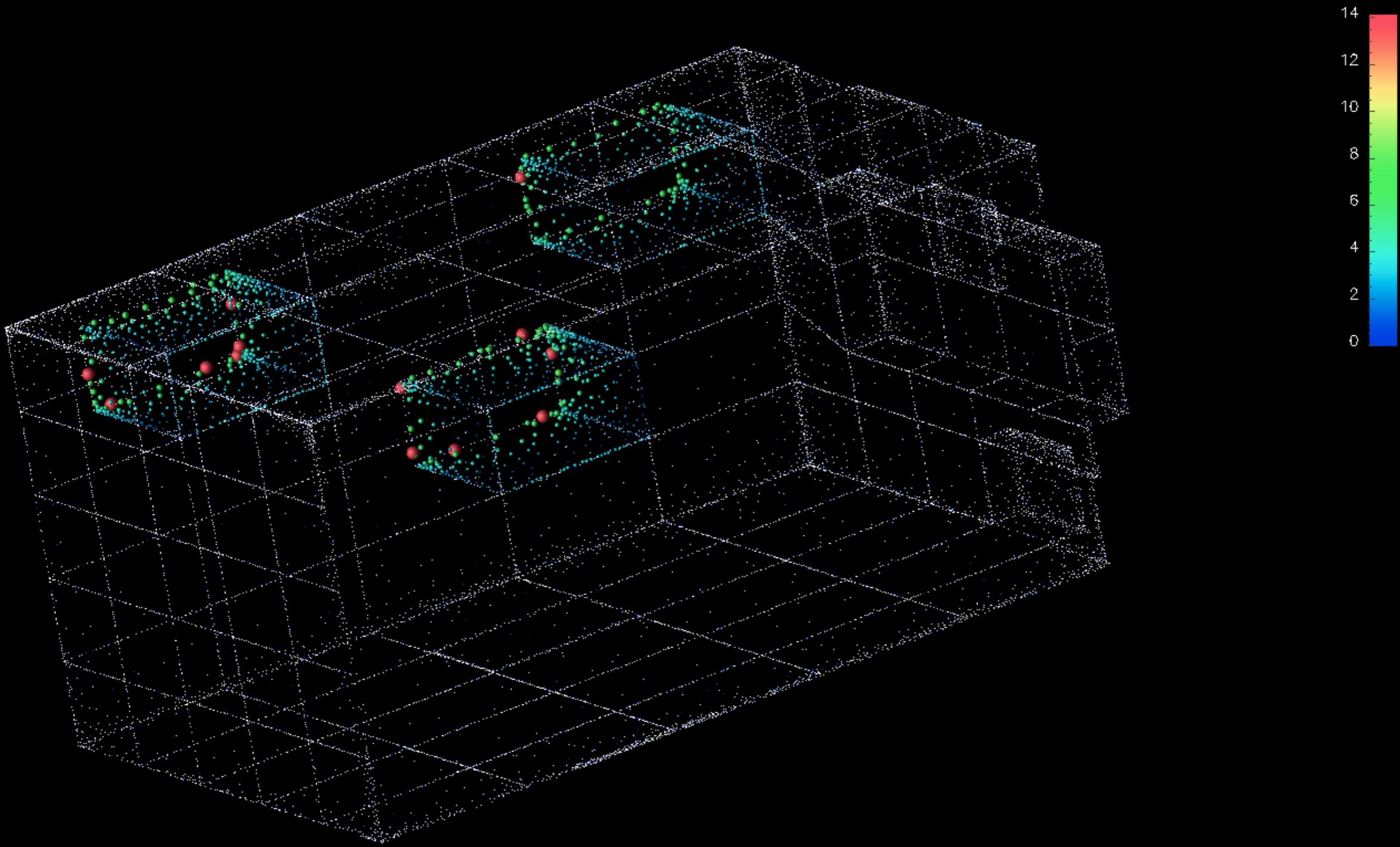
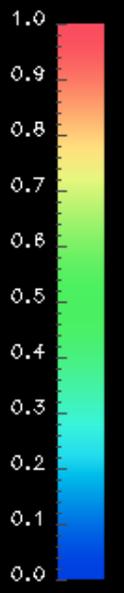
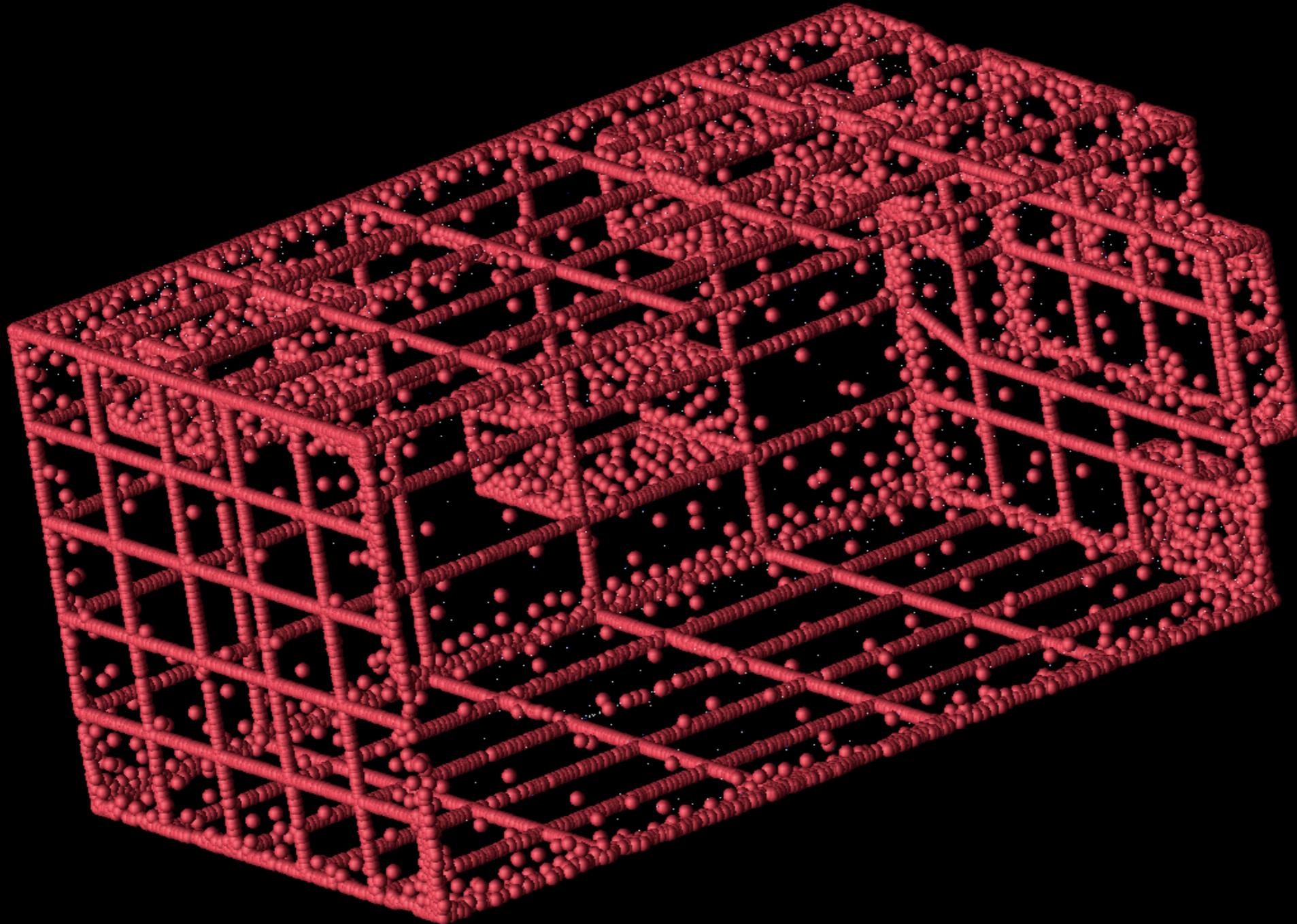


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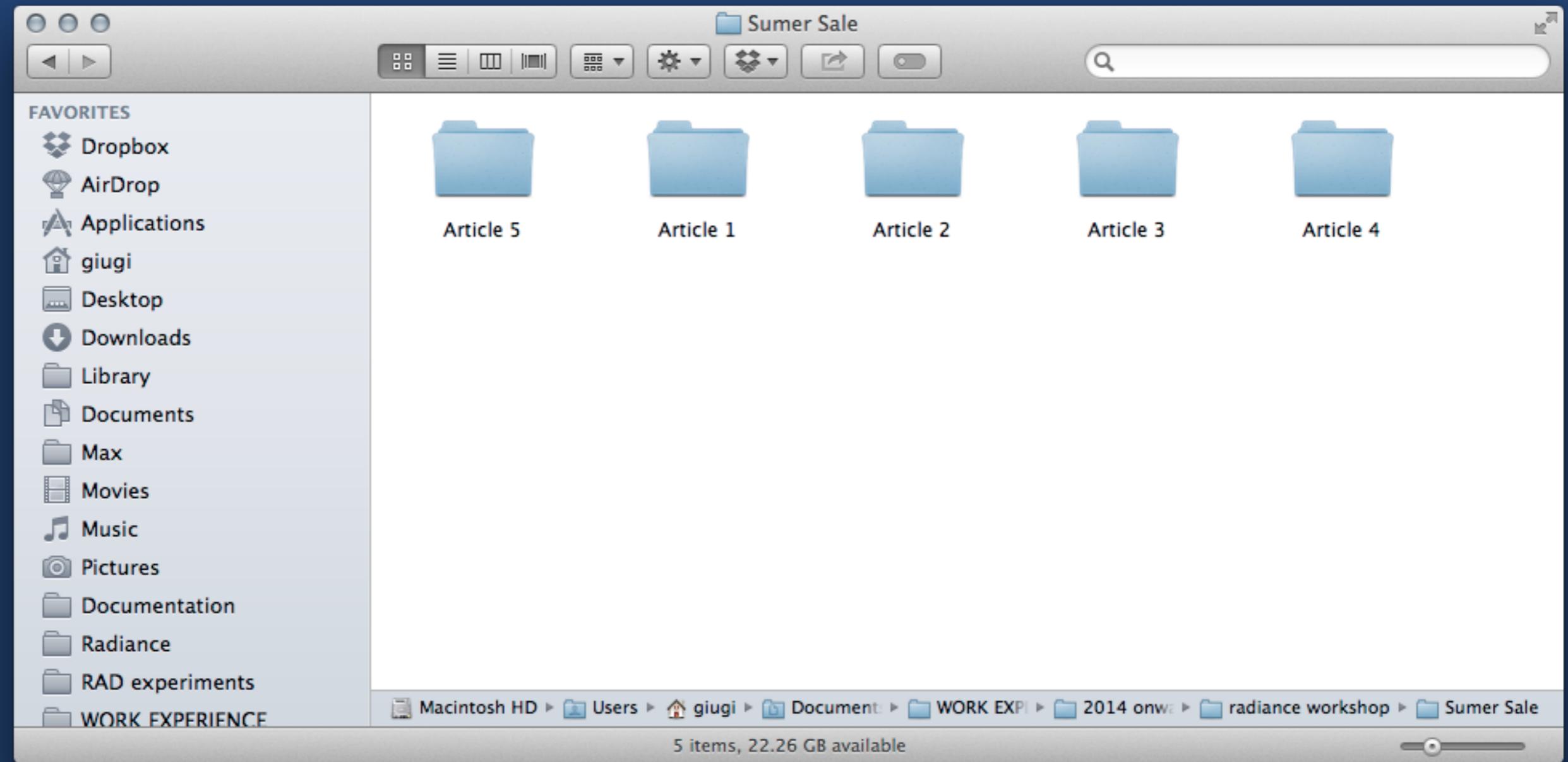
Help



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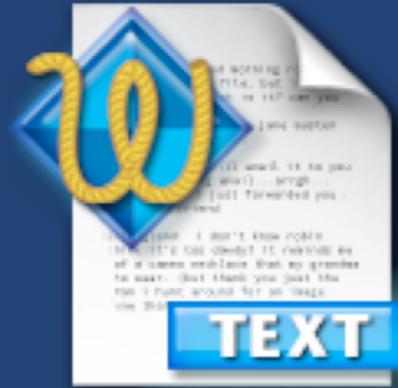
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Article #1

Script to create grids from rectangles

Prepare an obj file:

- * containing materials*
- * with only rectangles*
- * with no orphan vertexes*

*Copy file **grigliata.m** into working folder*

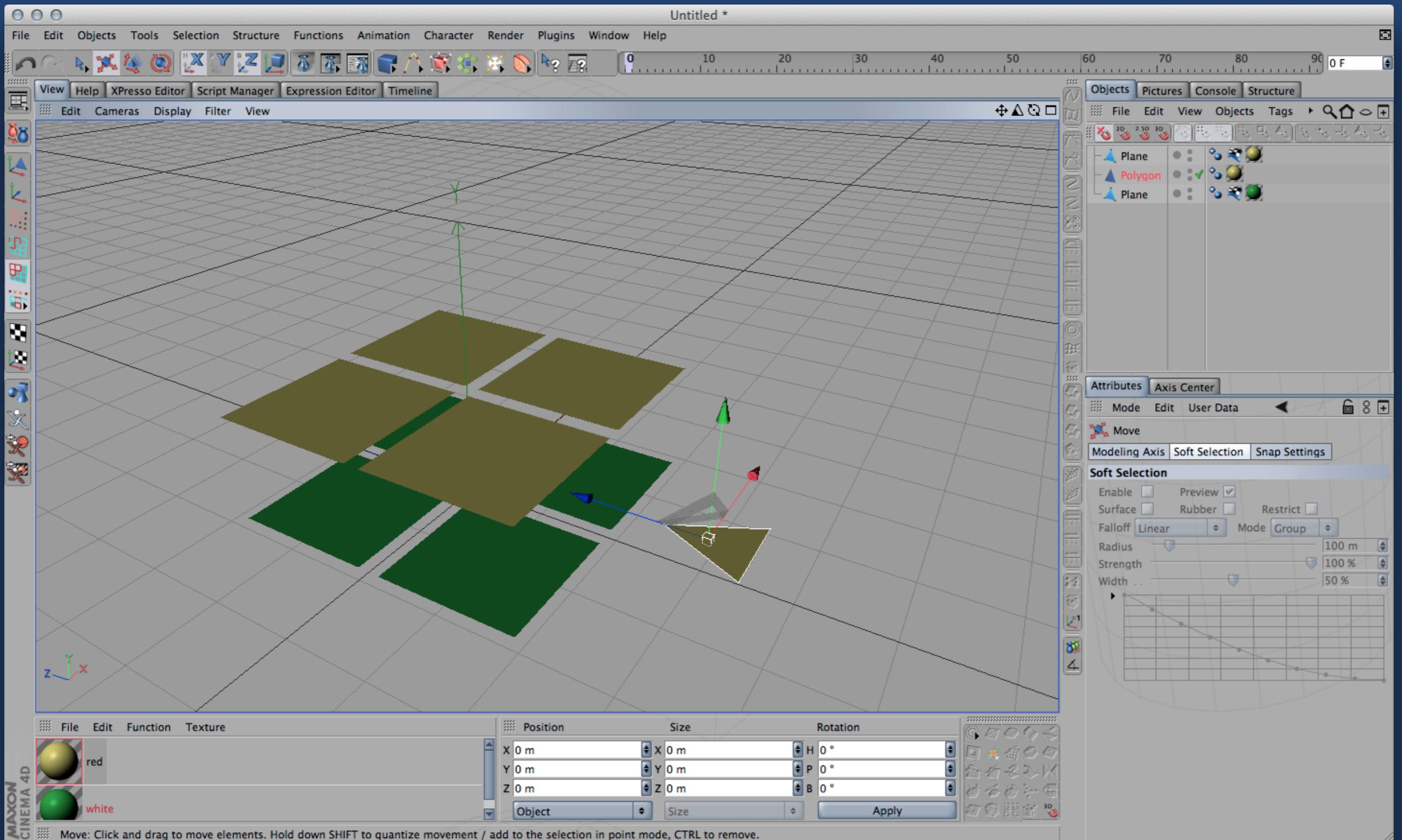
*Open **Octave***

*To use type: **grigliata('name of the file.obj', pass i in world units, pass j in world units)***

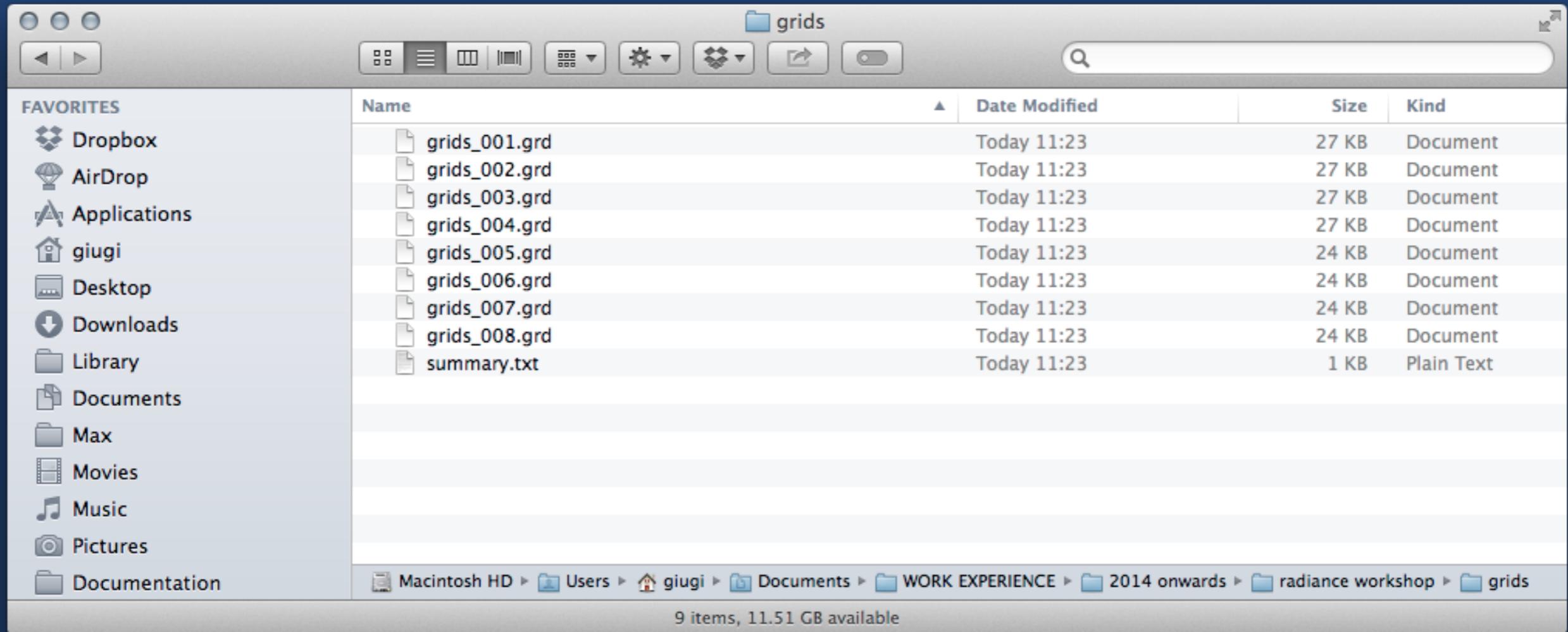
As example like this:

grigliata('grids.obj',2,2)

Note: All tested and working with Cinema4D obj files, not sure it is the same with Rhino...



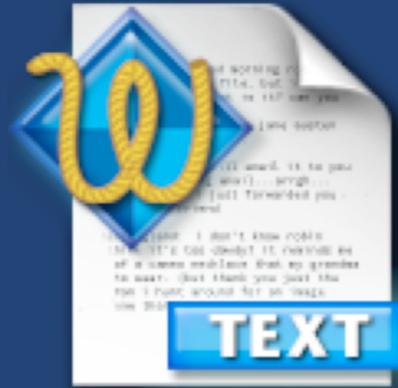
Note: triangles will be ignored



summary.txt

Did you check is a rectangle?

```
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Grid: 002; punti_i= 17; punti_j= 17; v_i= 0.000000 10.000000 0.000000; v_j: -10.000000 0.000000 0.000000; N= 0.00 -0.00 1.00;  
Grid: 003; punti_i= 17; punti_j= 17; v_i= 0.000000 10.000000 0.000000; v_j: -10.000000 0.000000 0.000000; N= 0.00 -0.00 1.00;  
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Grid: 008; punti_i= 16; punti_j= 16; v_i= 0.000000 10.000000 0.000000; v_j: -10.000000 0.000000 0.000000; N= 0.00 -0.00 1.00;
```

Article #2

Script to convert obj files to OpenDX

Prepare an obj file:

- * containing materials*
- * with no orphan vertexes*

*Copy file **obj2odx.m** into working folder*

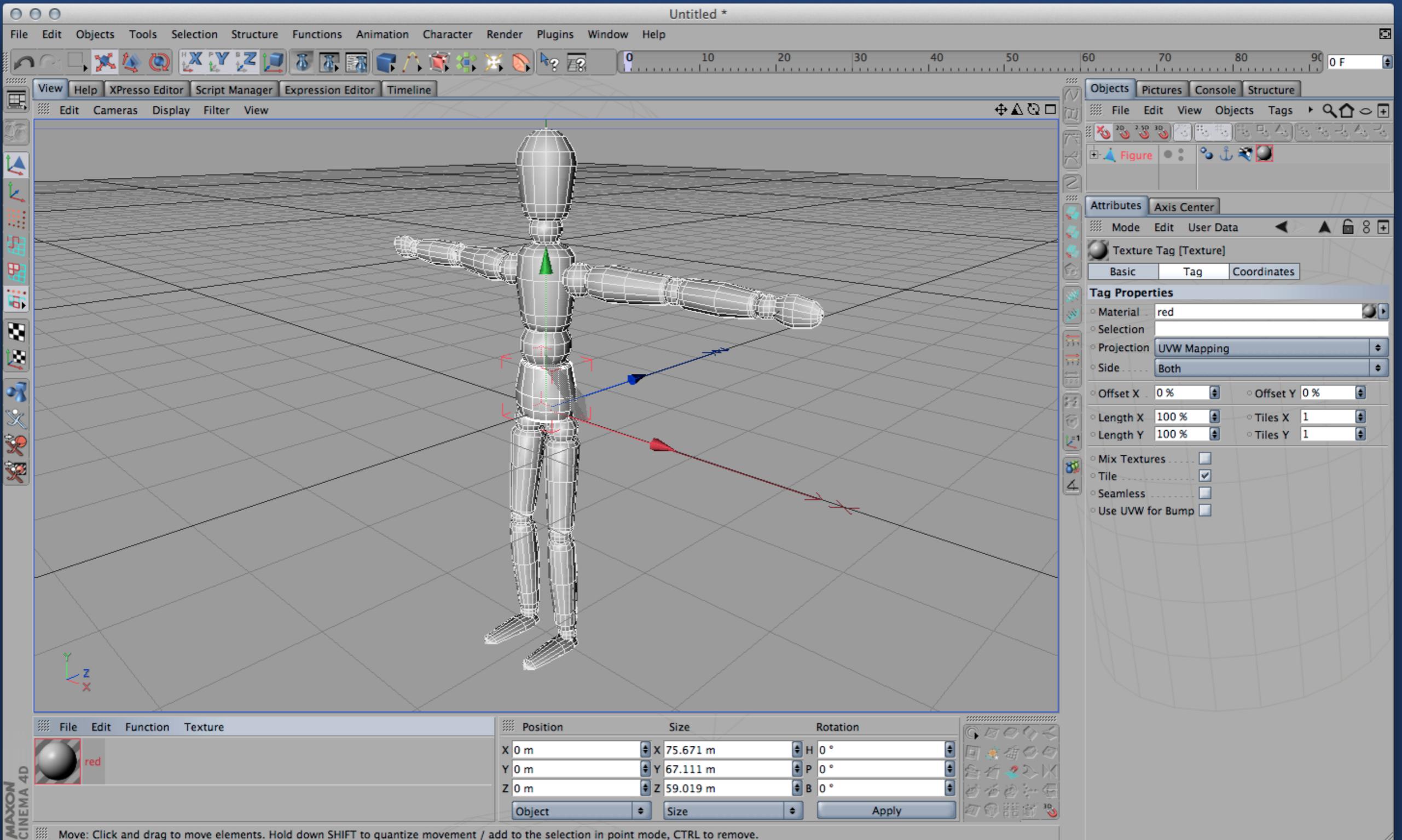
*Open **Octave***

*To use type: **obj2odx('name of the file.obj')***

As an example try like this:

obj2odx('model.obj')

Note: All tested and working with Cinema4D obj files, not sure it is the same with Rhino...

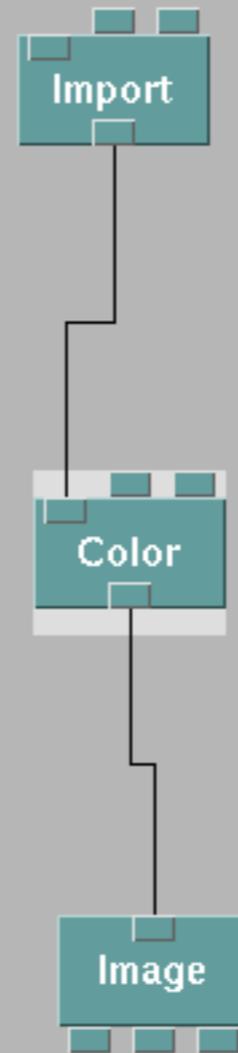


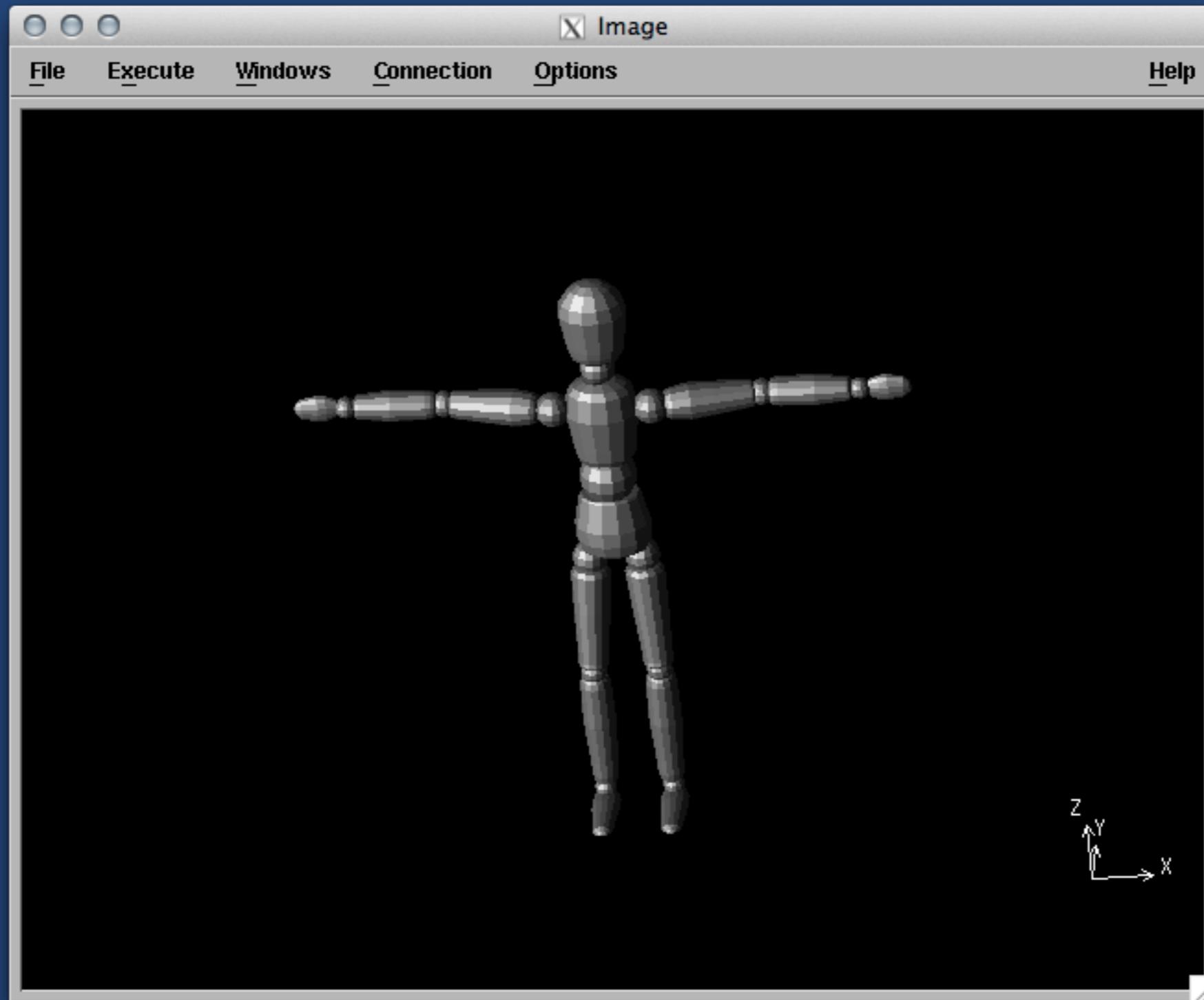


Tools

- Computer
- Connect
- Construct
- Convert
- ConvertColorNameList
- Copy Container
- DFT
- DXLInput
- DXLInputNamed
- DXLOutput
- DXLOutputNamed
- Describe
- Direction
- Display
- Div Curl
- Done
- Drape
- Echo
- Enumerate
- Equalize
- Execute
- Export
- ExportVRML
- Extract
- FFT
- FaceNormals
- Factorial
- FileSelector
- Filter
- First
- ForEachMember
- ForEachN
- Format
- FormatList
- GetCategoricalLabels
- GetEvents
- GetGlobal
- GetLocal
- Glyph
- Gradient
- Grid
- Histogram
- Image
- Image2

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Article #3

*Script to plot polar diagrams out
of radiance light sources*

Go to working folder containing the file **flux_calc.m**

Copy at this location your radiance light source (for example an **ies2rad** converted file)

Open **Octave**

To use type: **flux_calc('file_name.rad')**

*Note that the scale is in meters

When the script outputs the light source flux, go to the dx folder and launch **OpenDX**.

Within **OpenDX** select the **Photometry** network.

Run it

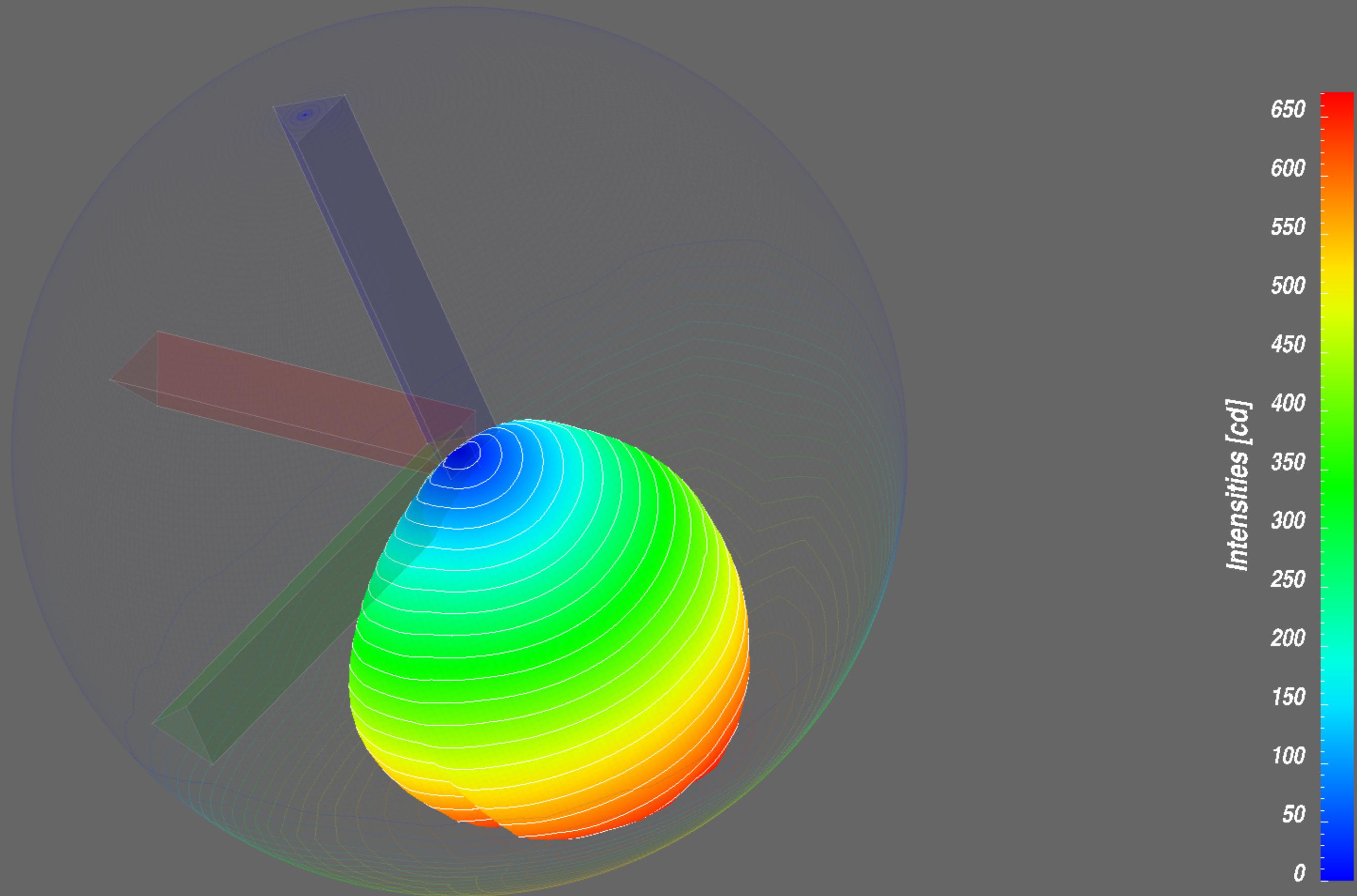
You should get a nice chart and flux plotted

(Can export the photometry as **vrml** surface to check **replmarks**, etc).

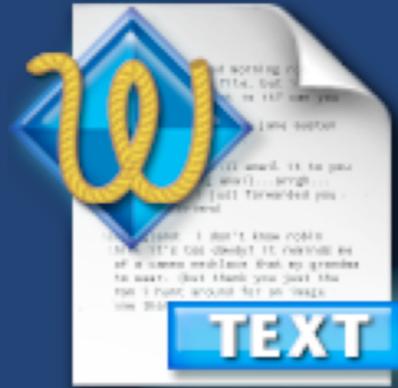
As an example try:

```
flux_calc('Mundial_1KW_V1.rad')
```

Note: All tested and working with Cinema4D obj files, not sure it is the same with Rhino...



Luminous flux: 1406 lm (0 lm upward component, 1406 lm downward component)



Article #4

Script to use UV maps from obj files to create textures in radiance (radiance baking)

Concept:

- * use a obj file to derive UV mapping*
- * use an octree file to bake based on UV mapping*

Note: All tested and working with Cinema4D obj files, not sure it is the same with Rhino...

You need to:

- * prepare an obj file with triangles, no orphan vertexes, UV mapping and materials*
- * prepare an octree of a scene with the light, colours and materials of your liking*
- * edit the **batch_tex** script to indicate name of files and materials*
- * run the **batch_tex** script in Octave*
- * This will generate images to map back in radiance or in the 3d software of your choice*

Note: All tested and working with Cinema4D obj files, not sure it is the same with Rhino...

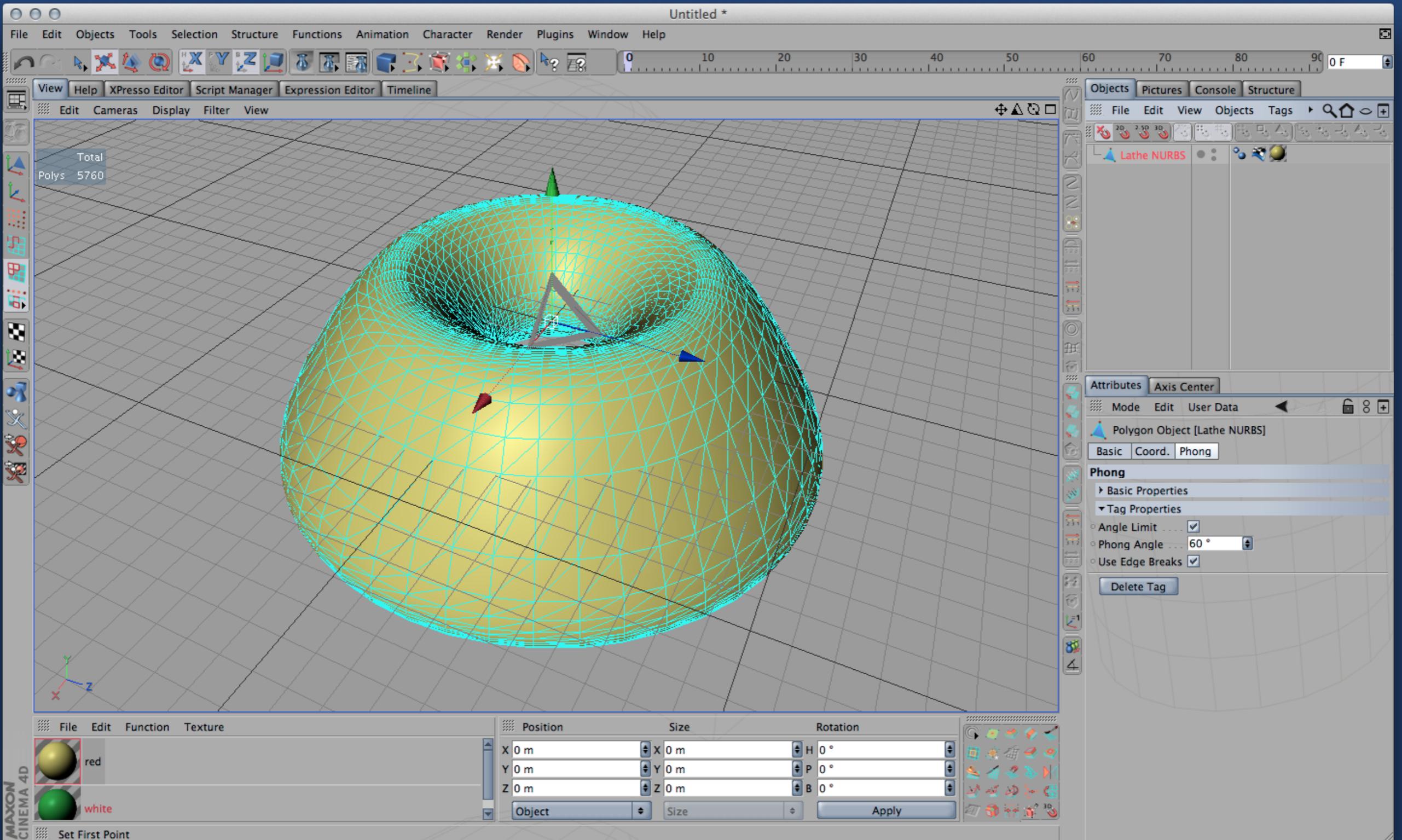
Usage:

*Edit the **batch_tex** file*

(indicating name of obj and oct files, resolution, etc)

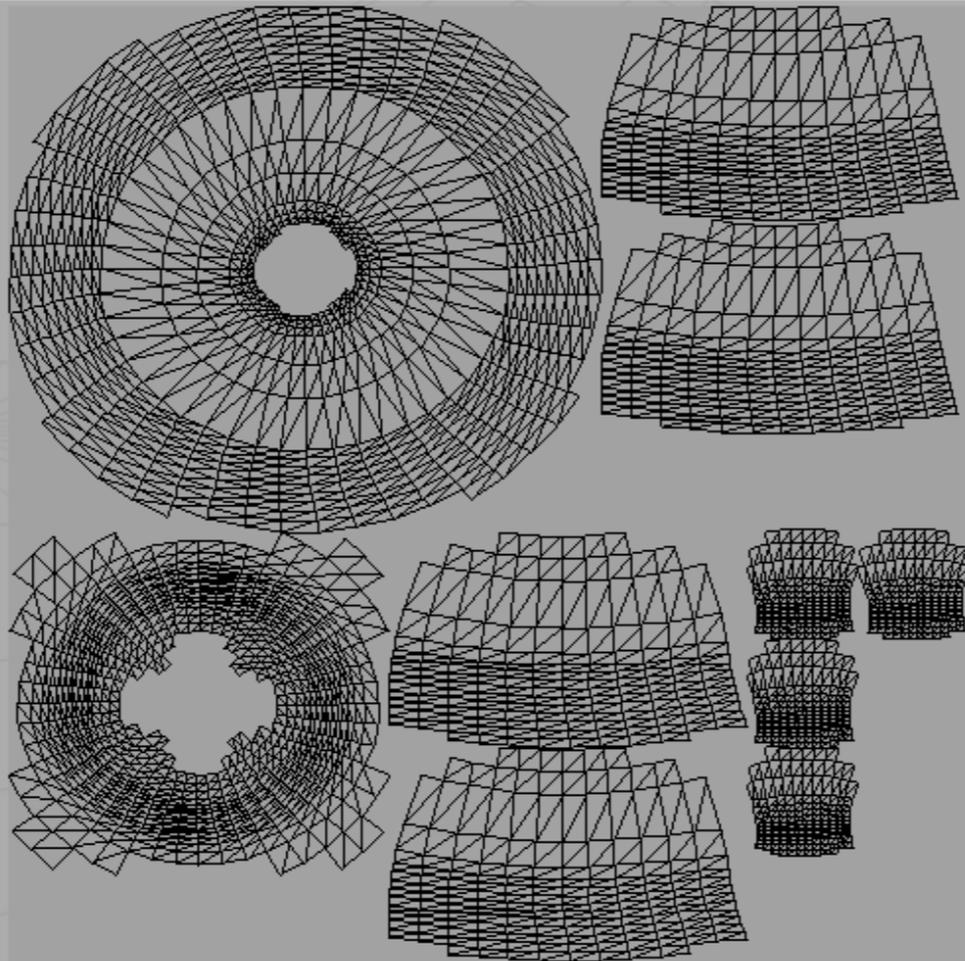
You can run several obj files out of a single octree for baking different maps

Note: All tested and working with Cinema4D obj files, not sure it is the same with Rhino...



Texture View

View UV Mesh Textures



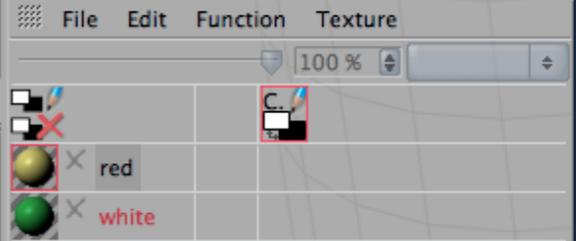
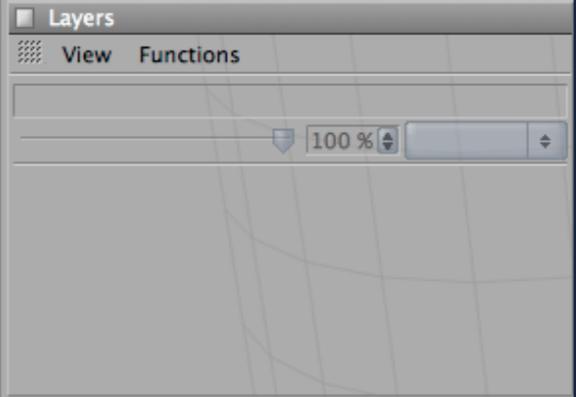
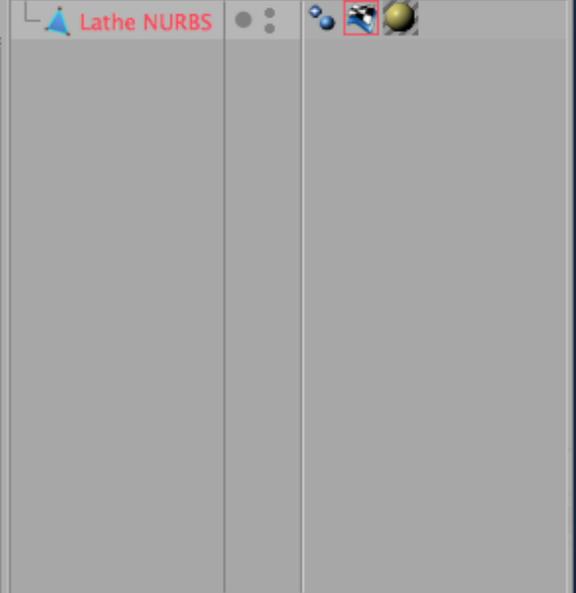
Zoom: 97.7%

Attributes Colors UV Mapping

Mapping Relax UV Projection Transform UV Commands

Mapping

- Optimal (Cubic) Preserve Orientation
 - Optimal (Angle) Stretch to Fit
 - Realign 2D
 - Maximum Area Factor 0 %
 - Relaxation Steps 1
 - Spacing 0 %
- Apply



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Done triangle: 5749
Starting triangle: 5750
Done triangle: 5750
Starting triangle: 5751
Done triangle: 5751
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Starting triangle: 5758
Done triangle: 5758
Starting triangle: 5759
Done triangle: 5759
Starting triangle: 5760
Done triangle: 5760
Saving Grid for Calculation
mv: rename grid.all to tif/model.grid: No such file or directory

Now Rendering Grid on 2 Cores

rm: ill.tmp: No such file or directory
[1] 14553 14554
[2] 14555 14556
[2] Done rtrace -w- -h- -ab 1 -aa 0 -ad 256 -as 128 -u -ds
.1 -dj .6 model.oct < grid.2.tmp | rcalc -e $1=$1+0.0001;$2=$2+0.0001;$3=$3+0.0001; > i
ll.2.tmp
[1] + Done rtrace -w- -h- -ab 1 -aa 0 -ad 256 -as 128 -u -ds
.1 -dj .6 model.oct < grid.1.tmp | rcalc -e $1=$1+0.0001;$2=$2+0.0001;$3=$3+0.0001; > i
ll.1.tmp

Loading back simulation results...
Reassembling Grid with zero values
Filtering texture
Working on RED channel
Working on GREEN channel
Working on BLUE channel
Creating image and finishing
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>> █
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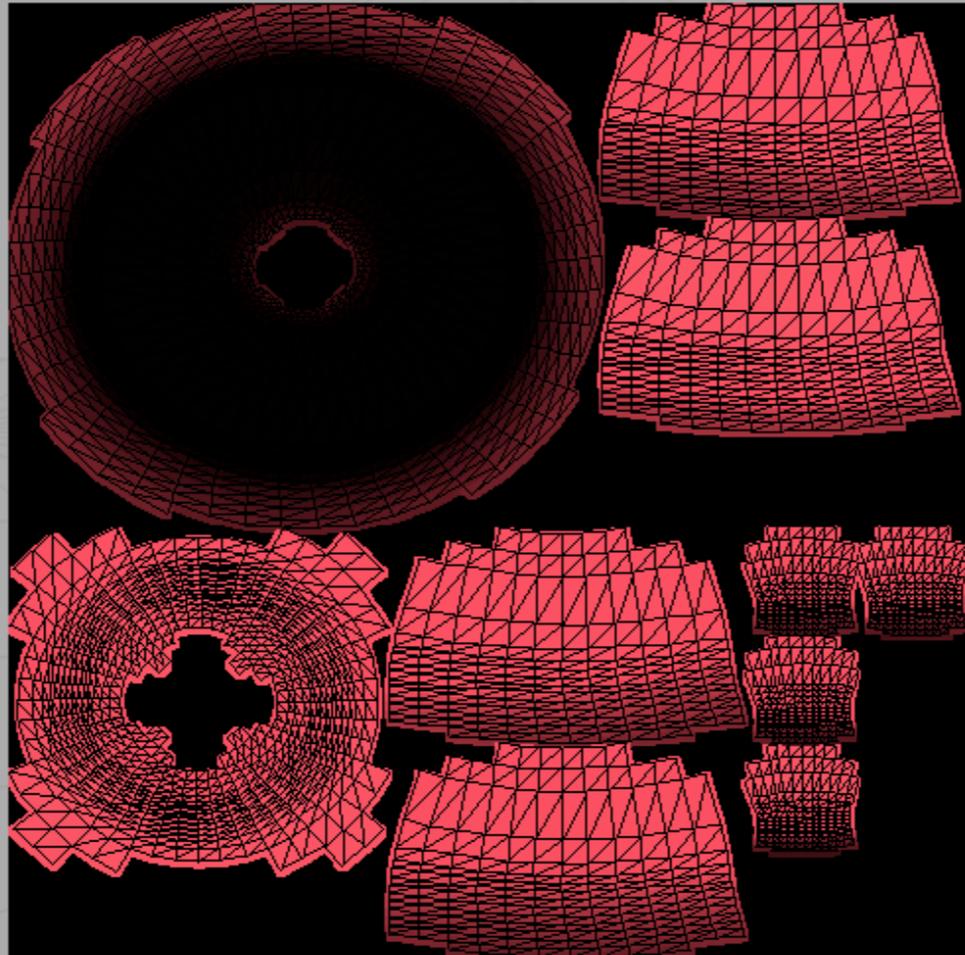
Untitled *

File Edit Image Layer Select Filter Select Geometry UV Edit Tools Render Plugins Window Help

File Edit View Objects

Texture View

View UV Mesh Textures



Zoom: 95.4%, Size: 512x512, 8 Bit, model.tif, Active Layer: Background

Attributes Colors UV Mapping

Mode Edit User Data

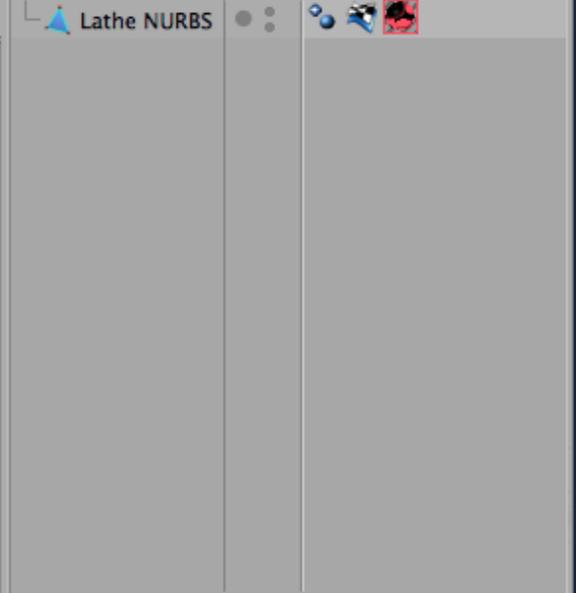
Material [red]

Basic Luminance Specular Illumination Assign



Basic Properties

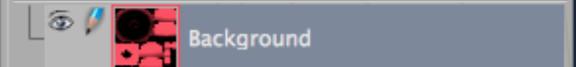
Name red



Layers View Functions

model.tif

100 % Normal

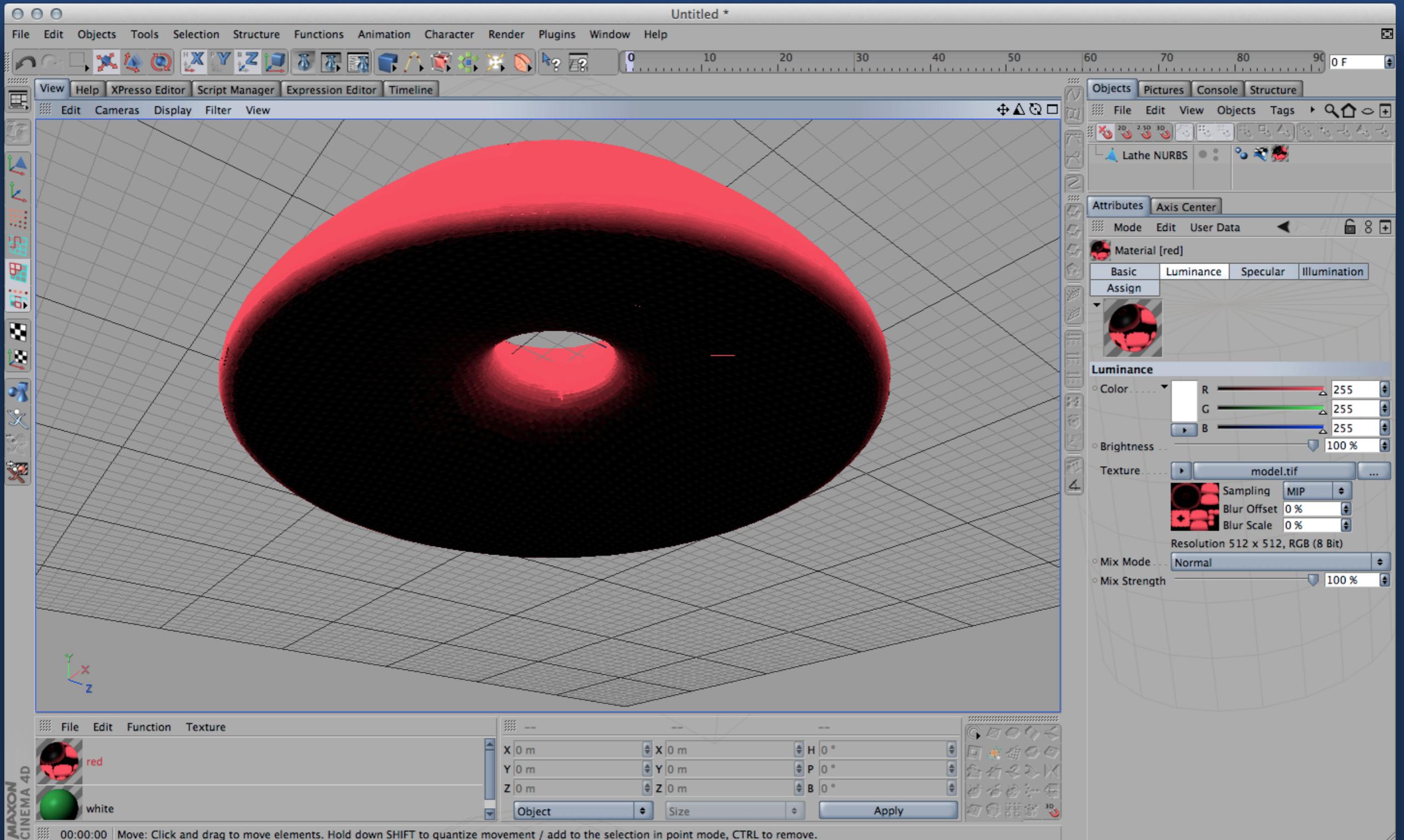


File Edit Function Texture

100 % Normal



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Bonus, how to put back textures in radiance:

How to:

- * prepare a material file*
- * convert obj with obj2mesh and use material file*
- * load mesh into radiance scene with **mesh** primitive*
- * check with **objview***

Example of material file:

```
void colorpict baked  
7  
red green blue  
baked.pic  
.  
1-A1*((Lu-A3)/A5-floor((Lu-A3)/A5))  
1-A2*((Lv-A4)/A6-floor((Lv-A4)/A6))  
0  
6 1 1 0 0 1 1
```

```
baked glow material  
0  
0  
4 1 1 1 0
```



/tmp/ov14934.oct



redrawing...

done:

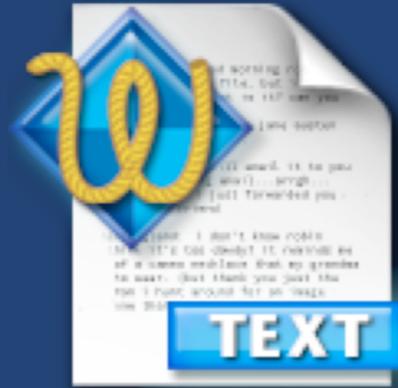


Common known issues

- * *no triangulated polygons or other errors (such as no UV map or no material)*
- * *there may be issues with normal listed on obj (rhino?)*
- * *-rx 90 and Y=Z swap Cinema4D style*
- * *image is swapped -h -v (pflip can help)*
- * *some triangles are left black, this is because they are too small*
- * *memory error, too many pixels! I used 4096 x 4096 max.*
- * *all back! did you check normals? did you check the octree?*
- * *takes a long time to process polygons, maybe is a good idea to save intermediate steps*
(requires coding)
- * *generally slow, maybe a volunteer to port it to c#?*

Suggested uses

- * *can use UV to generate regular grids on fluid forms*
- * *can use baking to bake geometry or small detail (for example the facade of a building)*
- * *can use baking for animations in radiance and in other software*
- * *can use baking for video games! such as in the Unity3d platform...*



Article #5

Script to create a parametric potato into a radiance scene

Copy **genpotato** into a working directory, provide appropriate permissions.

Explore the following settings:

-x value [PF along x, for details contact Carsten Bauer]

-y value [PF along y, for details contact Carsten Bauer]

-z value [PF along z, for details contact Carsten Bauer]

-u value [u subdivisions used by gensurf for maximum accuracy]

-v value [v subdivisions used by gensurf for maximum accuracy]

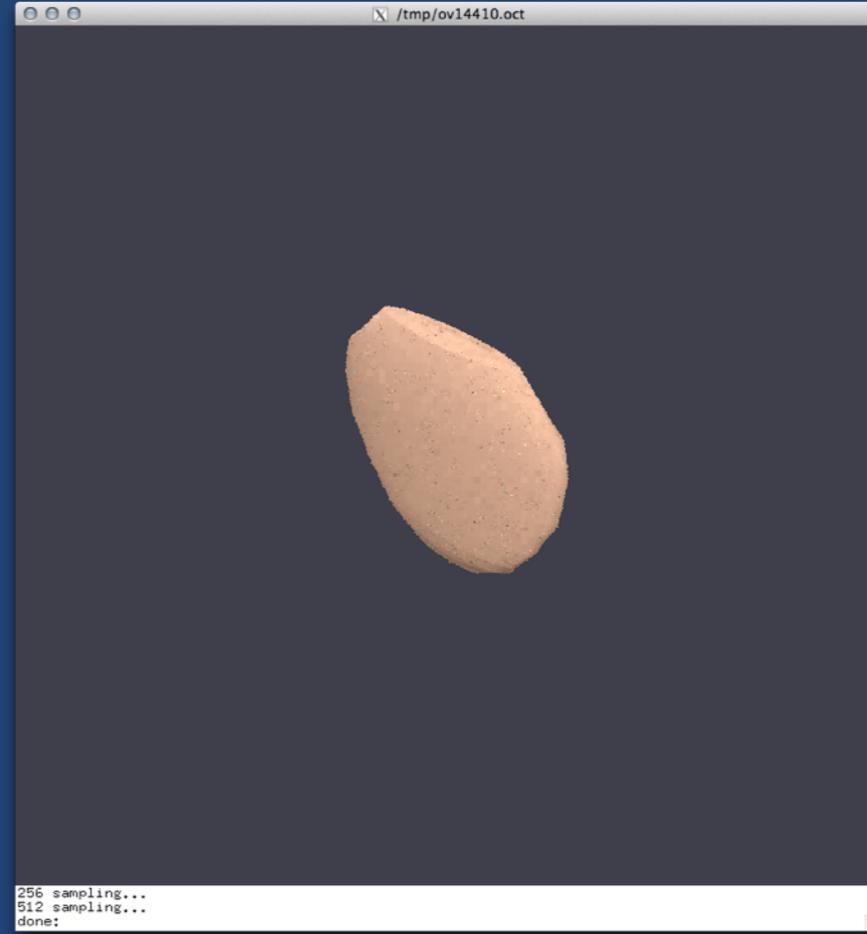
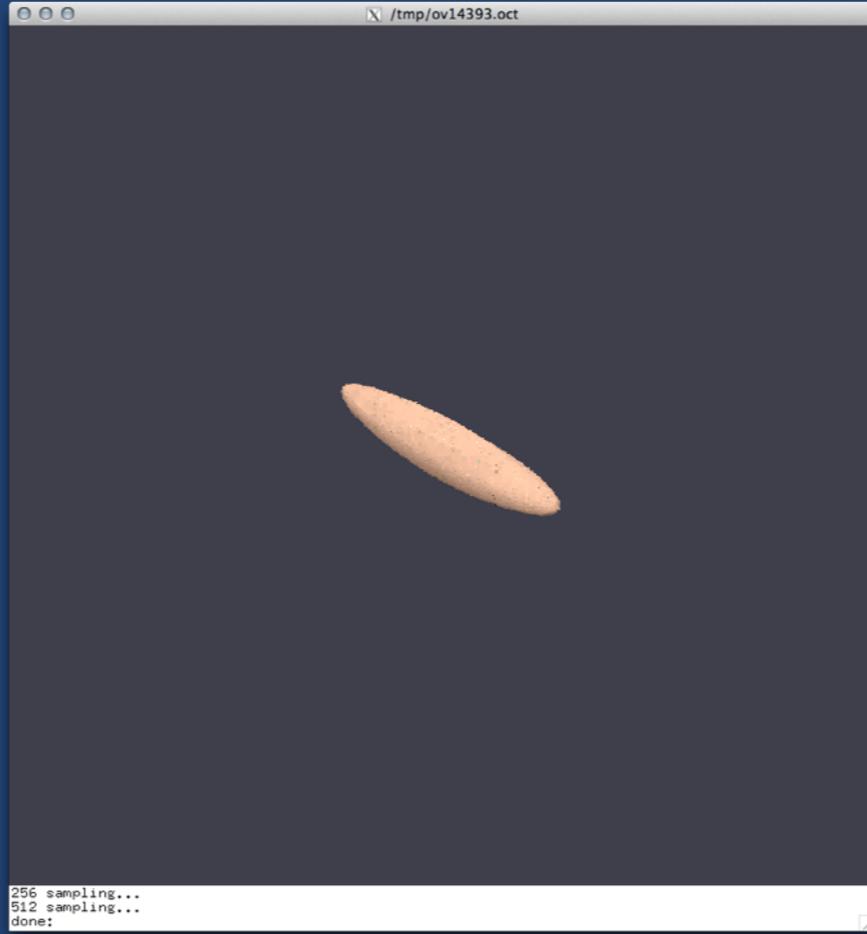
or simply run defaults with

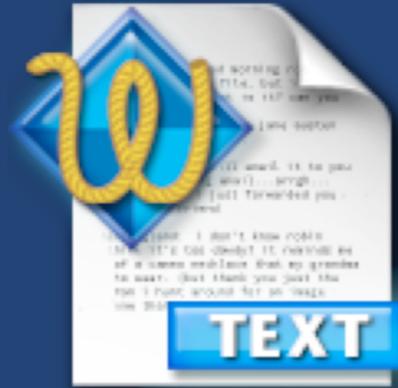
genpotato

or

./genpotato

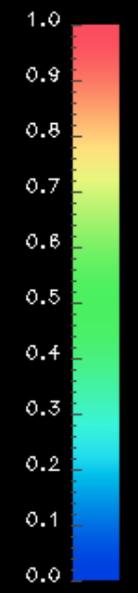
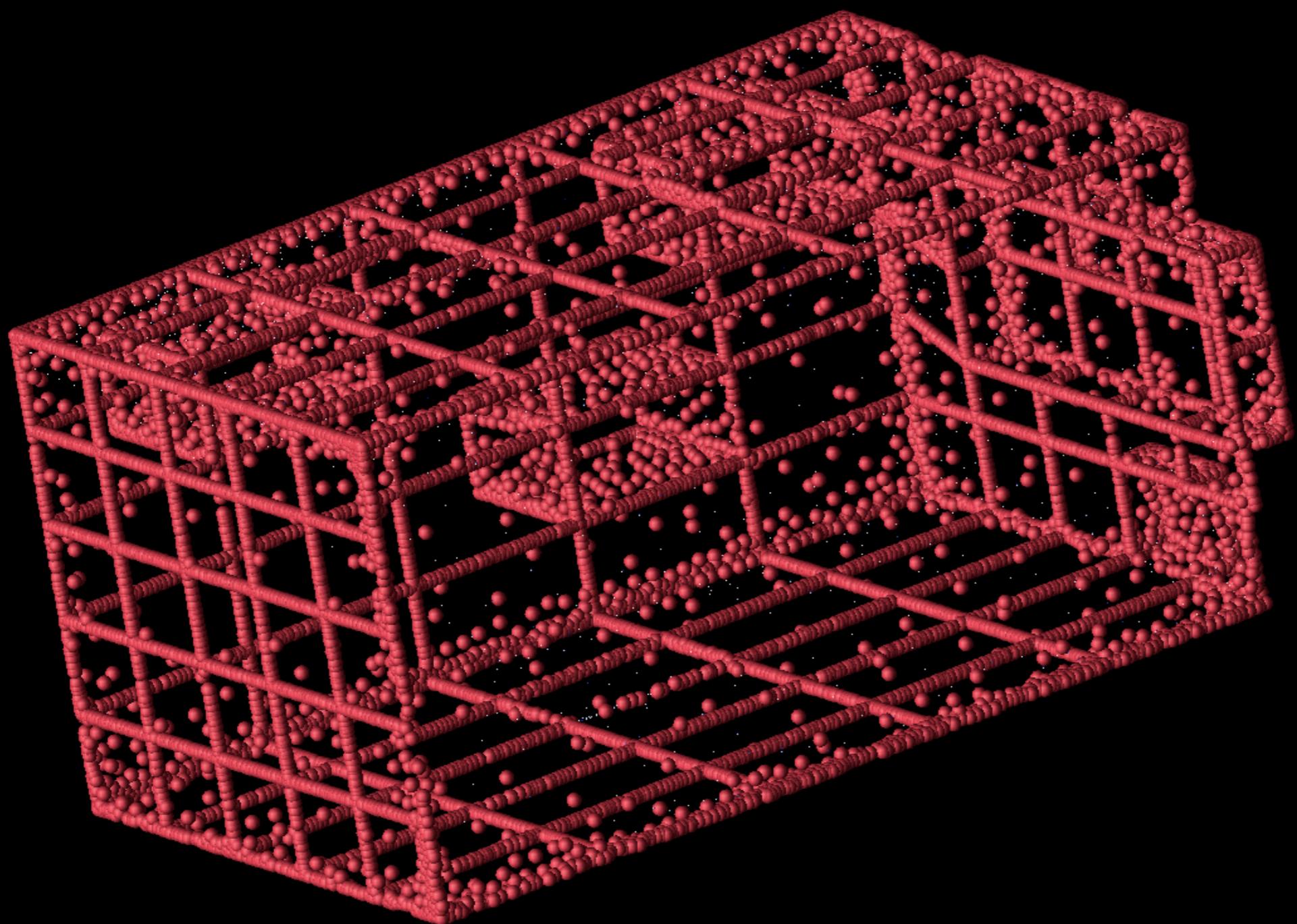
Note, never forget to add a potato to your renderings!





Article #6

OpenDX map to visualise ambient files



Terms and Conditions

Use as you wish.

***The only condition is to share your
improvements to the code with the
community.***

“Take but give back.”

For warranty refers to warranty terms.

Warranty

There is NO warranty!

Thanks!